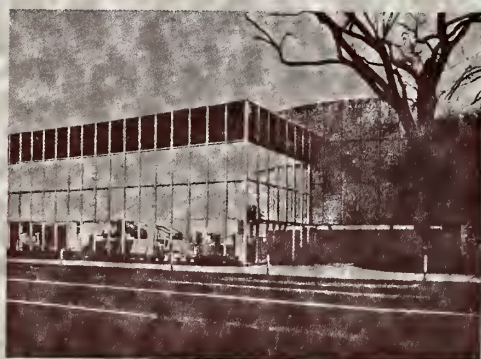


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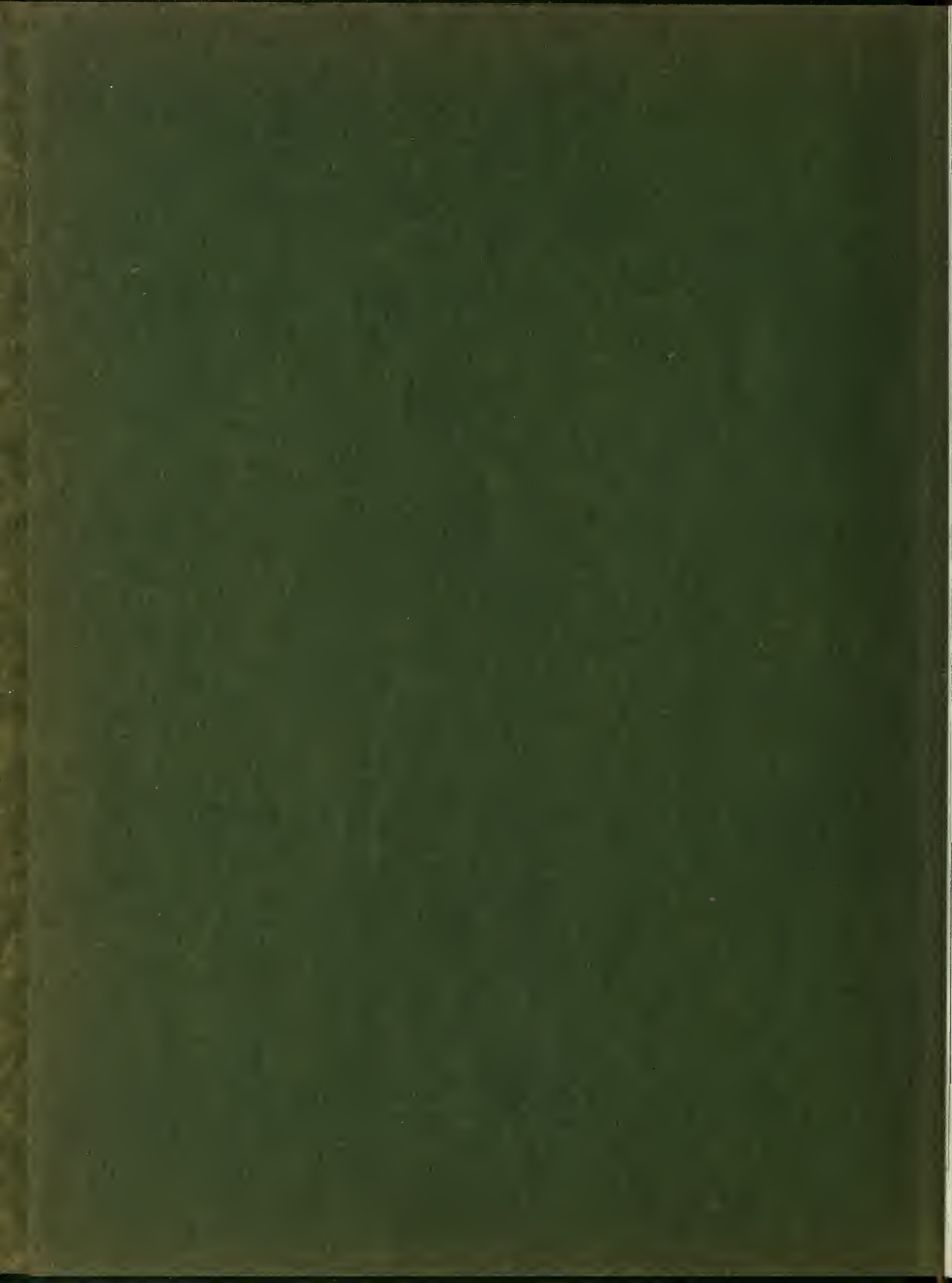
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Foreword



THE "Mecklenburger" is a new publication of the Charlotte High School. It is customary for the school to publish an annual, but heretofore it has borne a different name and has been published in a spirit of competition with the preceding annuals.

Several conditions, which it is needless to go into here, have brought the editors into a realization of the extreme seriousness of expending large sums of money on a high school annual, merely to produce a more elaborate affair than has been produced in other years. With this realization fresh in mind they have thrown all thoughts of competition to one side, cut all expenditures as low as possible, and at the same time have produced a book which presents, they hope, the school and its activities in a durable, artistic, and literary form. These changes were considered of sufficient importance to warrant changing the name to the *Mecklenburger*, which in itself reflects the spirit in which this annual is published.





Dedication



MISS Bertha Mae Donnelly is a true friend of the students of the Charlotte High School. Some people regard their friends as those whose least wish should be granted; others regard their friends as those who should be looked after and taken care of; Miss Bertha regards the students in both ways—she is willing at any time to help one of the students, but she keeps the thought of his welfare uppermost in her mind.

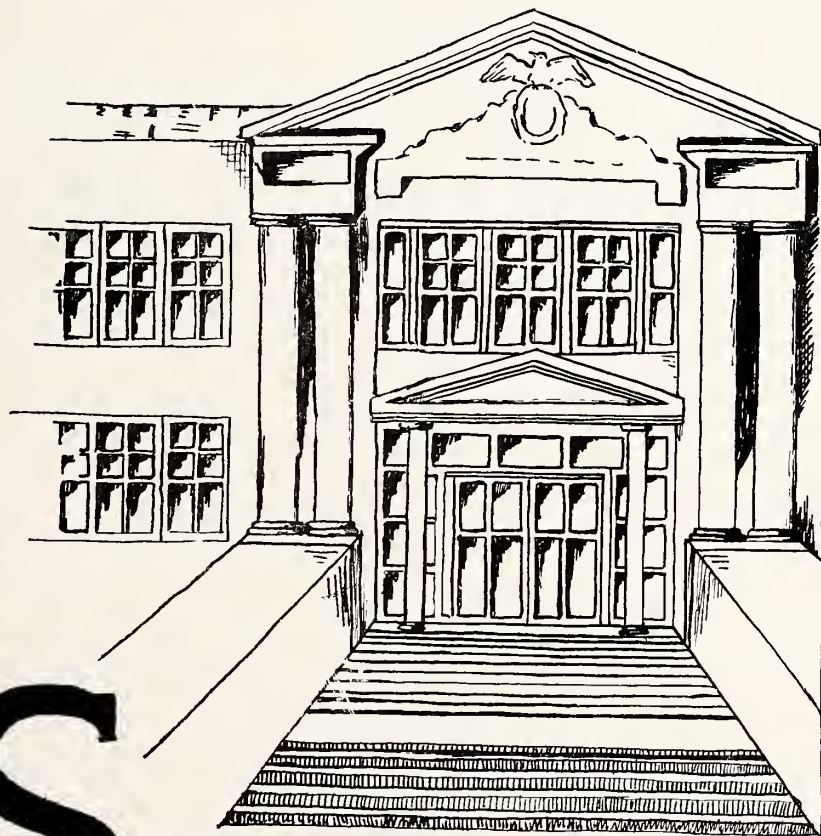
As an expression of the love she has gained from the students, as an appreciation of the noble work she has done in educational lines, and as an acknowledgement of the great help she has given all student organizations, we dedicate this volume to

MISS BERTHA MAE DONNELLY



ALEXANDER GRAHAM HIGH SCHOOL

BOOK I



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THE FACULTY: AN APPRECIATION

"Thou wert our guide, philosopher, and friend."

Now that we realize that we are to sit as learners at the feet of the Faculty no longer, we begin to appreciate the worth of the daily intercourse. At first, we were inclined to look for aid from other sources, but as the years passed by we came to know and love our Faculty. We began to feel their sympathy with all our student interests and the willingness and eagerness with which they always helped us. We have met the teachers face to face, seen their intelligence and ability, and have found inspiration in all our tasks.

It was South who said, "He that governs well leads the blind; but he that teaches gives him eyes." Our teachers are skillful not only in the sciences which they teach, but also in the method of teaching. They have broken no promises, served no private ends, gained no title, but in the years to come may they see an abundant harvest of the good seed they have sown.

Possessing great tact and earnestness, they have two chief requisites of the successful Faculty. Our teachers have patiently counselled and directed us through our most difficult years at school. They set forth examples of lives devoted to a noble purpose, allowing nothing to prevent the fulfillment of their duties. We appreciate their kindly interest in our welfare and leave with sincere regrets. We thank every member of the Faculty for the sacrifices made for us and for the cheerfulness shown at all times. We have spent four important years of our lives under their care and have received the training, which forms a large part of the equipment for life, under their faithful guidance. We have passed through this course with a deep conviction that each department is presided over by one worthy to represent it.

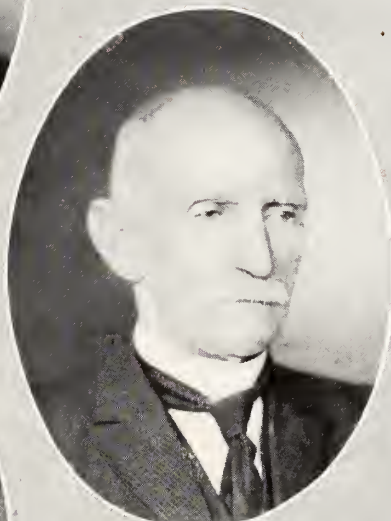
We cannot repay our teachers for all they have done, but we trust that our lives will be centers of greater influence for having been under their wise and patient guidance. We truly think of our Faculty as

" such better souls
Communing in an equal fellowship,
As clear in intellect, as brightly clear
In every high conception, and as warm
In all emotions . . . lending
Their inspiration unto all who feel
The glow of their benignity and dwell
Blessed in their steady sunshine."

—BONNIE MAE BEAM.



H.P. HARDING
SUPT.



DR. ALEXANDER GRAHAM
ASST. SUPT.



DR. E.H. GARINGER. PRINCIPAL.

THE FACULTY

It was decided by a popular vote of the Faculty that the pictures of the faculty members would not appear in this volume of *The Mecklenburger*. For that reason the following articles appear. In these we have made an attempt to portray our instructors as we see them; not only that, but we want to show the progress and merits of each department.

THE OFFICE

All things must have a beginning, even so with this article. The natural starting point for a discussion of the school and its activities is the office. Here new plans for the betterment of our system are constantly being formulated. Miss Frances Beatty, Dr. Garringer's secretary, is never too busy to stop and listen to our tales of woe and graciously give us an "Admit Card." Miss Beatty herself was a member of the student body last year, but her present position does not rob her of sympathy. This completes Dr. Elmer H. Garringer's second year with us. During these two years he has put forth every effort to make our school one of the best. The results of the system now in operation, the key-note of which is co-operation, prove its merit. Dr. Garringer is right with us in our athletics and his loyalty and school spirit is an inspiration to the whole student body.

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

In this department students are trained for the business world. Mrs. Myrtle Asbury is at the head of this course and instructs the students in typewriting and shorthand. We can count on Mrs. Asbury and her students to help us put anything across when it comes to typewriting. The work of this department is one of the big things in our school. The students are firm believers in the maxim that "practice makes perfect." As we pass down the hall we can hear the steady, musical click, click of their typewriters and sometimes we wonder if they are not all musicians. A course in retail salesmanship has been installed this year. Although this subject is new, we feel sure that under Miss Carolyn Rita Holt's able supervision it will be very successful.

LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT

Hercin lies our strength. The work of this department is in the hands of thirteen capable instructors: The English course is directed by Miss Jessie Henderson, Miss Minnie Downs, Mrs. E. H. Garringer, Miss Margaret Newland, Miss Lucille Little, and Miss Ethel Rea; in the mighty subject of Latin we are taught by Miss Ellie P. Grier, Miss Anna Mae Donnan, and Miss Georgia Neal; Miss Katherine Blett Smith and Miss Connie Horne have charge of the French students; Mrs. Elizabeth Hoyle Rucker and Mrs. Helen Laughlin have charge of the Spanish students.

We regard English as a major in our Senior year and we appreciate the untiring efforts of Miss Jessie Henderson and Miss Downs in helping us in our attempts to conquer this subject. As for Junior English—go to it, Juniors, your trials now were ours last year, and we came out all right and so can you, with Mrs. Garringer and Miss Jessie to direct you. You will always find them ready and willing to help you over the rough places. Miss Little

and Miss Newland are new faculty members this year, but, although Miss Rea has not been with us all of the year, we won't call her new, for she was with us last year and we're mighty glad to have her back. Miss Little is a regular bureau of information in school sports. From her you can hear the result of past games and predictions on those in the near future.

Miss Newland and Miss Smith are such close friends, we can't even afford to separate them on paper, so next comes Miss Smith and her French. We feel the same spirit of good fellowship when we enter her class room that we felt toward Mr. Alexander, who left us to take up his duties as principal of the Junior High. Miss Horne gave up her history class at the end of the first semester to take charge of some classes in French. Miss Horne has a way of making us forget our worries and troubles by her words and smiles of encouragement.

Mrs. Rucker is known to all students as one to go to for cool, sound advice and a word of encouragement. Mrs. Laughlin, we want to welcome you as a member of our faculty. Mrs. Laughlin has Spanish classes in both the Alexander Graham and the Central High.

Miss Grier teaches Latin in all the classes. If you'll go into her room and look at the various little models of Roman artillery and even Roman soldiers and senators, you will decide that Latin is not dead, at least not the way Miss Grier teaches it. Miss Donnan and Miss Neal are new and valuable additions as Latin teachers and we are glad to welcome them into our school.

As yet we have only one class in German. This is taught by Mr. James T. Penny. However, Mr. Penny says his real calling is in the work of the Science Department.

MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

When we say "math," somehow we just naturally think of Miss Fannie Moore, Miss Charlee Hutchison, Miss Bertha Donnelly, Miss Sara Kelly, Miss Virginia Reid, Miss Lila McGehee, and Miss Jessie Rankin. When we think of Miss Fannie we think of parallelograms, circles, squares—just everything that pertains to geometry and trigonometry. The thought of Miss Reid brings the same things to our minds. Alas! We realize that there is no royal road to geometry but Miss Fannie and Miss Reid have made the one we must follow very pleasant. Miss Charlee seems to be fond of Freshmen. Maybe it is because at that tender age she is able to instill politeness and good manners into their brains as well as Algebra and general "math." Miss Bertha has Algebra classes strictly. During a fifty minute period in Miss Bertha's room you get all the Algebra that's good for you and maybe some of the athletic news. When it comes to minstrels, plays, carnivals—anything to help us along, Miss Bertha is right there. Miss Sarah has classes in Advanced Algebra and general "math" too. She is a great favorite with everybody, but especially the girls. We wish we could all have a disposition like Miss Sarah's. Miss McGehee instructs the Sophomore and Freshman classes in Algebra and general "math." If you have an idea about something and want to talk it over with someone, go to Miss McGehee. She is never too busy to listen and help you all she can. Now Miss Rankin says her real calling lies in the civic field, but she can explain civics and "math" to Freshmen with equal ability.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Miss Connie Fore and Miss Oma Clare Lafferty have full charge of the history course this year. Miss Lafferty has two classes in European history, while Miss Fore has classes in Ancient, English, and American history. Sometimes we wish that it were true "that dead men tell no tales" but these teachers conduct their classes in a way that makes this study very

interesting. As for civics—this course has gained more prominence this year than heretofore and has made splendid progress. The instructors in this branch of the work are Miss Jessie Rankin, Miss Oma Clare Lafferty and Mr. Jack Knox. To all these we say, "Welcome. We hope you have enjoyed your first year with us to such a degree that you will remain."

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

This department is divided into four sub-departments: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, and General Science. Mr. James T. Penny and Mr. Robert Garth are the instructors in Biology. The progress of this work is greatly hindered because of the lack of equipment and room. We hope that this condition will be relieved in the near future. I asked Mr. Penny for a personal remark about his work and he said, "I am deeply impressed with the intelligence of my pupils." Please don't be so sarcastic, Mr. Penny. Mr. Garth has several classes in Physics as well as Biology. For him we can certainly say, "And still they gazed; and still the wonder grew, that one small head could carry all he knew."

Mr. Charles Cunningham has complete charge of the Chemistry department. This is Mr. Cunningham's first year with us and we now feel that he is an indispensable member of the faculty. General science is taught by Mr. C. D. Kirkpatrick and Mr. Jack H. Knox. Coach Kirkpatrick gave all his time to the football team last fall, but when the season was over we had to give him a full schedule of classes to keep him with us. He has coached the girls basket ball team during the basket ball season. We think he has turned out a mighty snappy team, too. Mr. Knox came to us from Citadel and has proven himself to be a very valuable science instructor. We hope you will decide to stay with us, Mr. Knox.

DEPARTMENT OF ARTS

Miss Mary Armond Nash is head of the department of Fine Arts. The exhibits of the students in this department prove its success. At present the Freshman Classes are designing doorway and tiling patterns, the Sophomores are drawing up plans for cottages; the Juniors are working on designs for China; the Seniors are making original designs for textile materials. The next work to be done by the Senior art students will be art work to represent each stage in literature. In the department of Domestic Art and Science the pupils are directed by Miss Florence L. Thomas and Miss Margaret Blakeney. The course in home economics includes a study of textiles, costume designing and decorating, and a thorough study of foods and cookery. There is also a course in first aid and nursing. We are pleased indeed to see the wonderful progress made in this department.

Mr. Smith-Parsons, the head of the Manual Arts Department, is teaching his pupils Mechanical Drawing so they will be able to carry their carpentry work from the original idea to the completed work.

Last, but not least—no, not by any means—the cafeteria. Miss Margaret Rogers has charge of the cafeteria and handles her work there most efficiently. She never fails to give us good well cooked food, and since we have two lunch periods the crowded conditions have been relieved. The cafeteria is fully equipped with modern equipment and pays for itself, and since no profit is allowed, the prices are very reasonable. The dining hall not only serves for a lunchroom but a place for class entertainments as well.

SENIORS





WILLARD KEERANS

LILLIAN JOHNSON

SENIOR CLASS

Motto: Semper Fidelis

COLORS: Gold and White

FLOWER: American Beauty Rose

OFFICERS

First Semester

LILLIAN JOHNSON	-----	President
ROBERT McMILLIAN	-----	Vice-President
CHARLES A. HEBERT	-----	Secretary & Treasurer

Second Semester

WILLARD KEERANS	-----	President
GEORGE CARMICHAEL	-----	Vice-President
WAYNE DUDLEY	-----	Secretary & Treasurer
LEE SHORT	-----	Poet
ESTHER BEAUCHAMP	-----	Historian
CLYDE SHUFORD	-----	Orator
SPENCER BELL	-----	Lawyer
JEAN CROWELL	-----	Prophetess
JOE JOSEPHS	-----	Prophet

Senior Class

FLETCHER RUFF ADAMS

"Fletch"

Literary Society; Cross Country Club; Ili-Y Club.

*"Look, he is winding up the watch of his wit,
By and by it will strike."*

Fletcher is a jolly, carefree companion, liked by all who know him. His diligence and resourcefulness make him as good a companion as a pal.

MARY ELIZABETH ALEXANDER

"Mary"

Choral Club; Girls High School Club; Carmel High School.

"True as the dial to the sun."

If you want to find someone whom you can trust you can count on Mary. The truest friends are sometimes the quietest and this can be applied here.

NANCY THERESA ALEXANDER

"Alec"

Freshman Club; Girls High School Club; Reporter of Al-Gra-Hi; Dramatic Club; Literary Society.

"She dispels gloom and drives the cloud away."

Nancy has never seen a cloud without a silver lining. Just as Aurora disperses mists, so her smile drives away the darkest shadows.

WILLIAM TASSE ALEXANDER Jr.

"Bill"

Declamation and Debating Team; Member of Triangular Debating Team.

"True to his word, and his work and his friend."

Bill always greets you with a smile. He stands well in his classes and is admired for his good qualities. We are sure that he will achieve great success at Carolina.

GRACE BELLE ANDERSON

"Gracie"

Literary Society; Dramatic Club; Girls High School Club.

*"A laugh will always win
If you can't laugh, just grin."*

Grace was always ready for fun, a good sport and a true and faithful friend. She has won many friends and her winning smile will linger in our memories many years.

MARY ELIZABETH AUSTIN

"Ted"

Literary Society, Girls High School Club, Etiquette Club.

"A true woman, modest, simple and sweet."

Ted is one of the most studious and the sweetest members of the class of twenty-three. But because she is so smart, don't think that she is always solemn for she is full of life.





Senior Class

WILLIAM HUGH BARKLEY

"Hugh"

Chemistry Club; Literary Society.

"Good nature and good sense are ever joined."

Hugh, though quiet, is a boy of sterling character and strong determination. He has many friends who will feel his loss when he leaves High School.

BONNIE MAE BEAM

"Bonce"

Girls High School Club, Literary Society, Secretary of Magazine Club.

"A joyous heart that will carry her dancing down the years."

Bonnie Mae is a loyal student, always giving her very best to every task. As a friend, she is sincere in every way, one in whom utter confidence can be placed.

HAZEL LORENE BEAM

"Renie"

Censor of Literary Society, Vice-President of Camp Fire Girls, Girls High School Club.

"A sweet expression is the highest type of loveliness."

Lorene is a true friend, loyal and sympathetic—not too serious, not too gay. "You know her but to love her."

ESTHER YOUNG BEAUCHAMP

Freshman Club, Girls High School Club, Literary Society, Secretary Camp Fire Girls, Class Historian.

"What would we do in High School land,

For continuous chatter, if Esther were not at hand?"

Esther is one of the most studious members of our class. She believes in having a good time, and throws her whole soul into work and play.

SARAH WALDINE BELL

"Sally"

Secretary of Soph Class, Girls' High School Club, Vice-President Camp Fire Club, Freshman Club, Literary Society, Annual Staff.

"I love quiet solitude, and such society
As is quiet, nice and good."

Always the same, demure Sarah, with a heart of gold and a winning way. In music she is a genius; in class easily a leader; among her friends a favorite.

JESSE SPENCER BELL

"Spence"

Dramatic Club, Sigma Delta, Advocate and Annual Staff, Hi-Y Club, Junior Class President.

"Not too sober and not too gay

But a real good fellow in every way."

We all know Spence by the little flute he carries around. He is not only a good musician, but one of the best executives the class has known as he was president of his class in the Junior year.

Senior Class

LELA BENNETT

"Lee"

"A good heart's worth gold."

The most cheerful of the cheerful—the sunniest disposition—always happy and making others happy, that's Lela. Besides being a good student, she is a good sport and an all-around good girl.

JANICE BIERMAN

"Yance"

Girls' Club; Literary Society; Treasurer Camp Fire.

"—devout and pure,
Sober, steadfast, and demure."

"Yance" is a true and loyal friend to all. She is a great lover of sports, especially foot-ball. Here's luck to her.

PATTIE LEE BIGGERS

"Patsy"

Freshman Club, John Charles McNeil Literary Society, Girls' Club, Chairman Program Committee, Variety Club.

"To know her is to love her."

Pattie Lee is a friend worth having. Her good looks, sunny smile and lovable disposition make her a regular, all-round pal. She has made many, many friends in High School.

SARAH BLACK

"Jette"

Girls' Club, Choral Club, Freshman Club, Literary Society.

"Beware of her raven hair, for she excels
All women in the magic of her looks."

Her beautiful bobbed hair and naturally rosy cheeks are the envy of all the girls. Her fine sense of humor and sympathetic understanding have won many friends for her.

ELLEN LOUISE BRANTLEY

"Red"

Girls' Club, Freshman Club, Basket Ball Club, Class Basket Ball, Secretary Literary Society.

"To those who know her not, no words can paint!
And those who know her, know all words are faint."

You are attracted first by Brandy's flaming hair, and then by her winning personality. She is a rare type of girl and a loyal true friend.

LYDIA CLEMENTINE BRASINGTON

"Clem"

Freshman Club, Literary Society, Girls' Club, Etiquette Club.

"Here is a dear, a true, industrious friend."

Lydia is a smart, good natured girl and can always be depended upon. If you haven't gained her friendship you have certainly missed something, for she is a pal most loyal and true.





Senior Class

JOHNSIE BRATTON

"Horn"

Literary Society, Art Club.

"Honor and shame from no conditions rise;
Act well your part, there all the honor lies."

Johnsie, although a bit timid at times, has won the hearts of the many friends who have known her. Her future is promising, as she has been gifted with an artist's talent.

MARGARET INGALLS BREWER

"Peggie"

Chairman Program Committee of Literary Society.

"None knew her but to love her,
None named her, but to praise."

That's "Peggie," whom every one loves because of her cheerful disposition and ready wit.

CORNELIA KIRKPATRICK BROWN

"Nealy"

Girls' High School Club, Campfire Girls, Literary Society.

"She's not a goddess, an angel, a lily or a pearl
She's one of the neatest, completest girls in the world."

"Nealy" is one of the sweetest girls in our class. She shines in all her classes and hardly knows how to take an examination.

MARY ELSIE BROWN

"Gunboat"

Literary Society, Girls' High School Club, Basket Ball Squad, Short Story Club.

"It's the smile you wear, That's a-making sunshine everywhere."

Elsie is the very essence of "pep" and school spirit and her winning smile has won for her a way into the hearts of students and teachers, alike.

MAMIE BRUNS

"Mamie"

Girls' High School Club, Choral Club, Literary Society.

"Not too quiet, not too gay, But loyal and true
in every way."

Mamie is a girl worthy of the very best there is in life. As a friend she is loyal, true-hearted and sincere; as a student she gives her honest endeavor to every task.

RALPH GEIDNER BULLARD

"Blueie"

Dramatic Club, Track Team, Hi-Y, Student Council, Basket Ball Squad, Letter Club.

"Like a strong man, he runneth a good race."

"Blueie" is a boy of sterling qualities, and is very popular with his classmates. He is passionately fond of girls, especially one.

Senior Class

HAROLD BURTON

"Hal"

Ben Hill High School, Ga., Hi-Y Club.

"Only a boy, with his wild, strange ways,
With his idle hours, or his busy days,
With his quiet remarks, and his odd replies,
Sometimes foolish, and sometimes wise."

Hal came to the High School unhailed, with out a reputation. Now he is admired by all who know him. To hear him talk, you would think the state of Georgia was in his home town.

SARAH CLEMENTINE CADDELL

"Sarah"

Girls' High School Club, Etiquette Club.

"Here is a dear, true, industrious friend. One of the mildest manner and gentlest heart."

Sarah, one of our most lovable classmates, is known to us all by her good work in school. She proves true the saying, "A workman is known by his work."

RICHARD ABEL CANNON

"Dick"

Literary Society, Dramatic Club, Hi-Y Club, Rambler Staff, Annual Staff.

"He laughs at his work, and laughs at his play,
And has a good time the live-long day."

He's generally either just coming or just going—elusive, shall we say? He has a decided talent for Physics and when we need a problem done, we are pretty apt to yell for Dick.

RACHEL VICTORIA CARBINE

"Rae"

"Charm strikes sight but merit wins the soul."

Rachel is a new addition to our class, bringing all the charms of the Crescent City. Although we have only known her since January, we love her dearly.

GEORGE K. CARMICHAEL

"Frisky"

Hyatt Park High School, Columbia, S. C.

Basket Ball, Hi-Y Club, President Hi-Y, Letter Cub, Vice-President Class; Rambler Staff, Literary Society; Marshal.

"Oh, he is affected with perpetual spring fever."

"Frisky," as he is dubbed in spite of his weakness for sleep, is a prominent figure in all student activities. He has the reputation for good judgment and sincerity, while his bashfulness makes him a favorite with girls.

MARGUERITE CASHION

"Snitz"

Girls High School Club, Variety Club, Literary Society.

"So sweet, so true she is,
That one and all are happy to be with her."

Marguerite, a girl everyone likes. You are first attracted by her eyes, but soon see that her beauty lies not only within her eyes, but also in her wonderful smile.





Senior Class

MILTON CLAPP, Jr.

"Milt"

Naturalist Club, Sec. Chemistry Club.

"Whence is thy learning? Hath thy toil
O'er books consumed the midnight oil?"

Milton is a lover of nature and a true sportsman. He knows how to make true friends and keep them through all circumstances. Milton is very quiet but when he speaks, wisdom is sure to be present.

MARY ELIZABETH CLARK

"Betsy"

Freshman Club, Girls Club, Literary Club, Naturalist Club, Pres. Red Cross Council.

"She is true and sweet and one is happy to be
near her."

"Betsy" is good nature personified, always wearing a smile and ready for fun. She is never too busy to lend a sympathetic ear to everybodys troubles; and her pretty face, and sweet unselfish disposition will win her friends wherever she goes.

VIVAN REGISTER CORE

"Happy"

Student Council, Glee Club.

"'Tis a wise man who keeps the world guessing."

In actions a kid, but who knows what lies beneath? No one but himself. This is "Happy" or "Doctor Happy". A friend or enemy never needed assistance but what it was freely given. He is loved by all and as to the above has never had an enemy.

THOMAS MOORE CRAIG

"Tommy"

Hi-Y Club; Sec. and Treas. Hi-Y; Vice-President Radio Club, Chemistry Club, Naturalist Club, Student Council, Vice-President Literary Society; Rambler Staff.

"Few things are impossible to diligence and skill."

Tommy's jolly, unpretentious, affable spirit makes it impossible for anyone not to like him. Not only is he a true friend to all who know him but he is a scholar; he is a wizard at science—and speaking of looks notice "those hair"!

WINNIE CRAVER

"Hot Dog"

Girls High School Club, Choral Club.

"That jolly laugh seems to settle matters better
than words."

Winnie is one of the sweetest girls we know. Although we have only had her two years, we all love her dearly.

ELIZABETH AYLOR CRIGLER

"Elizabeth"

Sec. Literary Society, Girls High School Club, Pres. Magazine Club.

"She's kind, she's modest, sincere, and true.
More studious, more generous than most of you."

Being very studious it is needless to say that Elizabeth has always been at the head of her class. She knows "there is time for all things."

Senior Class

MARTHA JEAN CROWELL

"Fatty"

Treasurer of Freshman Club, Pres. of Sophomore Class, Literary Society, Student Council, Girls High School Club, Vice-Pres. Girls High School Club, Short Story Club, Editor of "Rambler," Student Council, Marshal Sigma Delta.

"Mirth, with thee I mean to live."

The same yesterday, to-day and tomorrow, always smiling, always jolly—that is Jean. She is one of the friendliest girls in our class. Her popularity in school is only a beginning to the success she will score when her school days are over.

ONA MAE CROWELL

"Ona"

Girls High School Club, Variety Club, Literary Society.

"Here is a dear, a true, industrious friend."

Ona's chief asset is her beautiful, curly, brown hair. She has a sweet disposition, and is loved by all who know her.

ARTHUR FRANCIS DANIEL

"Bebe"

Pres. Chemistry Club, Track Team, Hi-Y Club, Glee Club, Dramatic Club.

"A man that hath friends must show himself friendly."

Any one who knows Arthur has a friend indeed, whose praise is not flattery and whose criticism is just.

SARAH LILY DANIEL

"Sarah"

Literary Society; Camp Fire Girls; Girls High School Club.

"Of all the girls in High School,
There is none so sweet as Sarah."

Sarah is a true friend and a good sport. She has a sweet disposition and is loved by all who know her.

FRANCES DAVANT

"Frances"

Short Story Club, Freshman Club.

"Luck for the man who gets for his wife

This girl whom I've known and loved all my life."

Frances is a real true friend. She has a charming personality which has won for her many devoted friends and will always be dear to us all at C. H. S.

RUTH JENNINGS DAVIS

"Rufus"

Girls High School Club, Variety Club, Literary Club.

"As pure as a pearl, and as perfect
A noble and innocent girl."

There was never a more true and loyal friend than Ruth. She is an exceedingly pretty blonde. We are all depending upon Ruth, to uphold the standard of the class of 'twenty-three.'





Senior Class

RUE EMMA DICKINSON

"Yam"

Asheville High School; Literary Society; Dramatic Club.

"Friendship is the wine of life."

Rue Emma came to us from Asheville. She is very attractive, and has won a warm place in our hearts by her ever-smiling countenance and jolly disposition.

PAULINE DICKSON

"Polly"

Freshman Club, Girls Club, V Pi Club, President Commercial Department.

"Mindful not of herself, but always thoughtful of others."

Pauline is the kind of girl we all want to know and love. She has a charming personality and her winning ways have endeared her to the heart of every classmate.

MARY ELIZABETH DOGGETT

"Lib"

Girls High School Club, Short Story Club, Freshman Club.

"Beneath that calm exterior lies a deal of deviltry."

Every Time Mary "Lib" comes near, the sun seems to shine just a little brighter. Everyone knows and loves her for her sweet disposition and winning ways. And those eyes!

WAYNE DUDLEY

President Freshman Club, Girls High School Club, Manager Girls' Basketball, Basket Ball Squad; Chief Marshal; Short Story Club; Literary Society; Girls Letter Club, Class Treasurer, Class Secretary and Treasurer; Rambler Staff.

"Nothing can be sweeter than her friendship"

Wayne is one of the few girls who take an active part in all school activities and at the same time is a good student. She is peppy, reliable, and is noted for her sweet disposition—but just watch our star guard fight in a basketball game.

JESSE MONROE DUNN

"Sweeney"

Literary Society, Magazine Club.

"A man of few words; fair and square."

Jesse is a fellow of large stature and few words. His close friends know that he is a cheerful companion and a loyal comrade.

FAY ROSS DWELLE

"Frossy"

Freshman High School Club; Critic of Literary Society; President of Short Story Club; Marshal.

"She's kind, she's modest, sincere and true more studious, more generous than any of you."

Here's to Fay, good sport and a loyal and true friend. She is known, loved and admired by many. And is loyal also to her lessons and to all activities.

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EDITH EARNHARDT

"Pete"

Freshman Club; Literary Society; Basket Ball Club.

"Stay as you are and be loved forever."

Edith has been a valued member of the class of '23 never satisfied until her duties are well performed. By her winning ways she is endeared to the heart of every classmate.

ANTHONY GARDNER EDDY

"Tony"

Foot Ball Team; Basket Ball Team; Base Ball Team; Literary Society; Letter Club.

"A man's man."

"Tony" is certainly a great athlete, as anyone who reads the Charlotte papers knows. His good humor and ready wit assure him a welcome reception anywhere.

LOUISE FAYSSOUX

"Lou"

Girls High School Club; Gastonia High School.

"The jolliest sort of a girl, a friend to every one."

Louise came to us from Gastonia. Although she has been here only a year she has many friends because of her cheerful disposition. She is the kind of girl we all love.

JOHN LEAK FORT

"John"

Literary Society; Dramatic Club.

"His is the power to learn."

John is a hard worker, but however, he is never too busy to put away his task in order to help the other fellow.

He is rather quiet, but "still waters run deep" and we are forced to believe that he will achieve much in this world.

RUTH FOSTER

"Ruster"

"Her jolly laugh seems to settle all troubles better than words."

Of course, you have noticed Ruth's pretty hair and eyes. She is certainly a collection of virtues, being sweet, amiable, jolly, and a loyal student.

Camp Fire Girls, Girls High School Club.

ROSE GALLAGHER

"Rosina"

*"An all-round maiden here you see,
And one as jolly as can be."*

Rose has lived up to her name. She is just as sweet and pure as a rose. Everyone that knows her admires her and loves her. Here's wishing her good luck.





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THEO GARY

"Teotts"

"She's petite, witty, and pretty, too
And we would not swap her for fifty like you."

Although Theo has been with us but a short while, she has won a great many friends. With her bright smiles and winning personality she has won a place in our hearts.

ALICE BATTLE GIBBON

"Al"

Girls Club, Short Story Club, Basket Ball, Cheer Leader; Marshal; President Literary Society; Girls Letter Club; Rambler Staff.

"Beneath that calm exterior there lies a deal of deviltry."

If you need some one to inspire pep and school spirit—go to Alice. Because of her personality and unusual ability there is not much that she cannot do as a student and athlete.

JANE GILMER

"Gilmer"

"To those who know thee not, no words can paint,
And those who know thee know all words are faint."

We all know and love Gilmer, one of the sweetest, most attractive girls in our high school. She has scores of friends all of whom love her dearly.

ELIZABETH FELICIA GONZALEZ

"Lib"

Freshman Club, Short Story Club, Girls Club, Literary Society; Basket Ball; Captain Basket Ball; Marshal; Girls Letter Club, Rambler Staff.

"Ability was her attribute."

A good all around girl is Lib. She dances wonderfully, swims like a fish, and can she play basket-ball? Well, just ask anybody, especially Bailey Groome, he'll tell you what our captain can do.

ETHEL HOLMES GRAHAM

"Eddie"

President Literary Society, Sec. and Treas. of Camp Fire Girls, High School Orchestra, Sigma Delta.

"Who to herself is always true,
And therefore must be so to you."

Behold our class musician, delightful to hear and pleasing to look upon. During our four years of association she has not only stood forth as a musician but also with her ability to make many lasting friends.

SARA HACKNEY

"Sally"

Girls Club, Freshman Club, Short Story Club, Literary Society, Freshman Squad.

"What would we do in High School land
For continuous chatter, were Sara not at hand?"

Smiles, fun, pep—that's Sara. She is ever frank, sincere and sweet, and she's always on the honor roll. To know her is to love her because she is a real, sure enough girl.

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EDNA MAE HAMPTON

"Edna"

Westminster School; Girls' High School Club.

"Here is a dear, true friend."

Edna is a quiet, studious little girl. She is one who can be trusted by all, and she is a true friend to every one.

HAZEL BRUNETTE HARRISON

"Bruce"

Girls High School Club; Camp Fire Girls.

"As welcome as the sunshine in every place
So the beaming approach of a good-natured face."

Brunette is a good student and a good sport. She has a friendly disposition and is loved by all her classmates and teachers. Here's wishing her the best success ever.

EMILY EVELYN HARRIS

"Ev"

Freshman Club; Girls High School Club; Literary Society; Dramatic Club; Art Editor Annual.

"So sweet, so kind,
So pretty, and true."

Evelyn is a lovable girl, who possesses a winning personality and a wonderful faculty for brilliancy. May happiness always be hers.

WILLIAM ESPY HARVELL, Jr.

"Corn Willie"

Basket Ball; Capt. Basket Ball; Capt. Class Basket Ball; Base Ball; Letter Club; Hi-Y Club; Vice-President Hi-Y; Student Council; Glee Club; Marshal; Cross Country Club; Pres. Literary Society.

"Nature might stand up and say to all the world,
'This is a man'."

"Billy" has won much well earned praise as an athlete, despite his small stature. He is one of the most-liked boys in his class and has acquired many friends.

MATTIE SUE HATCH

"Mattie Sue"

Short Story Club; Literary Society.

"Her happy disposition, her pleasant smile,
Has won her friends for many a mile."

Mattie Sue is the kind of a girl we all want for a "pal". She has won many friends because of her sweet and winning disposition.

CHARLES ALEXANDRE HEBERT

"Challie"

Duval High School, Jacksonville, Fla.; Boys High School, Atlanta, Ga.; Radio Club; Hi-Y Club; Sec. Hi-Y Club; Rambler Staff; Editor-in-chief Annual; Student Council.

"A little learning is a dang'rous thing;
Drink deep, or taste not the Pierian Spring."

"Challie" came to us last year from Atlanta High School. He is a quiet fellow, but beneath that quietness there lies an intelligence envied by all. In writing, he is unsurpassed in Charlotte High.





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GARY HEESEMAN

"Su"

Hi-Y; Treasurer Hi-Y.
Cameron Morrison Literary Society; Cross Country Club; Student Council.

"Either I mistake your shape and making
Or else you are a shrewd and knowish sprite
Called Robin Goodfellow."

Gary is a popular fellow. He is always in for everything. He has a way with the ladies, too, ask them. We predict that Gary will be very popular at college.

RUBY VERONA HELMS

"Billy"

Freshman Club; Girls Club; Literary Society; Variety Club.

"I have a heart with room for every joy."

Ruby is a girl full of fun and always out for a good time. She is loved by all her classmates for her loving disposition and we wish her success thru all the years to come.

JACKSON Y. HENDERSON

"Jack"

Anderson High School; Hi-Y Club.

"To do my best and let that stand
The record of my brain and hand."

Brilliant, dependable and sincere, that's Jack. Although he has been with us but a short time he has made many friends.

JAMES EVERETT HENLEY

"Etx"

Marion High School, Declamation and Debating Club; Chemistry Club; Track Squad; Hi-Y Club.

"The boy is noble natured."

Everett is a boy after your own heart. He studies much but says little; but as you all know, still water runs deep.

MARY LOIS HENLEY

"Mary Lois"

Literary Society; Choral Club.

"Never known to shirk;
Quiet, she does her daily work."

Mary Lois is a little girl with a charming voice. She is the very personification of good nature, and is always eager to do her part.

MARGARET ELIZABETH HOLLIMAN

"Babbie"

Freshman Club; Literary Society; Girls Club; Declamation and Debating Club.

"Her feelings have the fragrantcy,
The freshness of young flowers."

Margaret is a girl, so radiant, so genial, so kind and so pleasure bearing, that you instinctively feel in her presence that she does you good. She is a friend to all.

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FANNIE VIRGINIA HOLMES

"Gennie"

Girls High School Club; Choral Club; Literary Society.

"She says what she thinks
And speaks it from her heart."

When Virginia comes into the school room, she lights it with her smile. Her sweet and winning ways cause everyone to love her. Virginia is an all-round fine girl.

JACK MORRISON HOUSTON

"Jack"

Radio Club.

"Men of few words are the best men."

Jack is very quiet, but the quietness is only the cover of a good fellow. He is a radio enthusiast and has done some good work in this line.

LEONARD LeGRANDE HUNTER, Jr.

"Ting"

Hi-Y Club; Track; Literary Society; Dramatic Club; Marshal.

"As brimful of mischief, and wit and glee
As ever a human frame can be."

"Ting" is hard to beat in more ways than a track meet. Here's hoping that he makes as big a success in life as he has in his days at C. H. S.

SARAH JAMISON

"Sally"

Freshmen Club; Girls High School Club; Literary Society; Short Story Club.

"It's the songs ye sing
And the smiles ye wear
That's a-making sunshine everywhere."

There is a loveliness about Sally that makes her the pal she is. Full of fun, wit and sound sense, she is the best sport we know and one of the most popular girls in the class.

JESSIE GARLAND JARRELL

"Jessie"

Literary Society; Girls High School Club; Basket Ball Club; Basket Ball.

"Good, better, best
Never let it rest,
Till the good is better,
And the better best."

That's Jessie all over. If ever you want a task performed perfectly, apply for her.

WILLIAM WALTER JARRELL

"Pig"

Hi-Y Club; Basketball Squad; Letter Club; Glee Club; Naturalist Club.

"He that never gives up finally succeeds."

Walter, better known as "Pig" or "Rhody", is a little short, but every inch a man. He is a hard worker and a good fellow who everybody wants for a friend.





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LILLIAN JOHNSON

"Lil"

Vice-President, Freshman Club; Literary Society; Girls' Club; Sigma Delta; Student Council; Vice-President, Sigma Delta; President, Girls' High School Club; President, Class; President, Student Council; Marshal; Choral Club; Rambler Staff.

"Divinely fair, divinely tall,
A charming girl, beloved by all."

"Lil" is one of our most popular students and always has a friendly smile for everyone.

SARAH ELIZABETH ANNE JOHNSON

"Mud"

Asheville High School; Literary Society; Girls Club; Dramatic Club.

"Not too serious, not to gay,
But a good pal in every way."

To know her is to love her. Her ready smile and witty conversation have won her many friends.

MAURY JOHNSON

"Skinny"

Senior Hi-Y; Biology Club; Debating Club; Dramatic Club.

"Only a boy, with his noise and fun
The veriest mystery under the sun".

Maury is well liked by everyone in the school. He is always ready to help you in anything you need. We are all sure that Maury will be popular wherever he goes.

ADELAIDE HEARSE JONES

"Bill"

Girls High School Club; Literary Society; Hiking Club.

"Rare compound of quality, noble and true,
With plenty of sense and good humor, too."

Bill, the joy and pep of the class, is a true type of a friend. She always has something to say and puts everyone at his ease.

JOHN WILLIAM JONES

"Johnny"

Mount Holly High School.

"Mine honor is my life, both grew in one
Take honor from me and my life is done."

Johnny can be trusted at all times. He has just entered our school, but has gained many friends.

MINNIE BEATRICE JONES

"B"

Critic of Literary Society; Pres. Camp Fire Girls; Girls Club.

"A smile is the trade mark of a happy soul."

"B" is the possessor of both an unusually bright mind and the ability of making a success of everything which she undertakes. She is always in for any fun that is going, and usually has her share.

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RUTH MARTYN JONES

"Mule"

Freshman Club, Literary Society, Short Story Club, Girls Club.

"Both labor great or small
Ruth does it well or not at all."

Who could help but love Mule with her happy, winning ways? She is one of the neatest and most attractive girls in the Senior class, as well as a true and sincere friend.

DAISY JORDAN

"Daisy"

Greenwood High School; North Charlotte H. S.

"Calm in appearance, motives unknown."

Daisy is a true and faithful friend to everyone. She is always ready to help anyone when called upon to do so. She is a good student and a good companion. She has a sweet disposition.

JOSEF ERNEST JOSEPHS

"Jo-Jo"

Student Council; Varsity Football; Dramatic Club; Naturalist Club; Letter Club; Hi-Y Club.

"I pray thee, then, write me as one
Who loves his fellow-men."

He is prominent in all student activities and one of the most popular boys in the school.

MARGARET LEONA KADERLY

"Margaret"

Girls High School Club, Campfire Club; Literary Society.

"Love, sweetness, goodness, in her person shine."

Margaret is a good old pal and true. Her sweet disposition and sunny smile have won for her many true friends in her many courses thru high school.

JOHN WILLARD KEERANS

"Peter"

Class basket ball; Glee club; Vice-president; Chief Marshal; Hi-Y Club; Sigma Delta; Football; Vice President Literary Society; Honor Committee; Basketball; Letter Club; President Hi-Y; Senior Class President; Student Council; Captain Football.

"A strong man, for where he fixed his heart he
set his hand, to do the thing he willed, and
bore it through."

Willard Keerans is the most sincere, friendly, noble, and beloved student in school and in athletics.

GEORGE KELLER

"George"

Senior Dramatic Club.

"A friend George is to everyone;
And no work does he leave undone."

George is a strong link in the chain of our many good students. Here's wishing him good success in the future.





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MARY DOUGLAS KENDALL

"Flivver"

Freshman Club; Short Story Club; Girls Club; Literary Society.

"Friendship is the wine of life."

Douglas, who is a loyal and true friend to all, will be missed "heaps" when she is gone. But although gone she will not be forgotten.

RUBY LEOMA KILGO

"Boo-Boo"

Girls High School Club; Sec. and Treas. of Hiking Club; Student Council; Vice-President of the Commercial Department.

"To know her is to love and admire her."

"Boo-Boo" is a sweet lovable girl, an all round good sport, fond of skating and auto riding n'everything. She is a girl who can have a good time anywhere she is. She is smart in school too.

ISABEL FAISON KING

"Ibby"

Freshman Club; Girls Club; Basket Ball; Washington Irving Society.

"Let me today do something that shall take

A little sadness from the world's vast store."

She is of an angel type, golden haired and laughing blue eyes. Wherever she goes she always wears a winning smile and is always ready to help.

SADIE MARSHALL LAWING

"Sadie"

Literary Society, Freshman Club, Etiquette Club.

"So kind, so noble and so generous and true."

We may truly say of her: Sadie, the demure; Sadie, the quiet; Sadie, the sweet, for it is these qualities that make all her classmates love and admire her.

HANNAH LITTLE

"Samie"

Freshman Club; Girls Club; Short Story Club; Literary Society.

"Day by day, in every way,

We love her better and better."

Hannah is the type of girl who appeals to everyone; a pal, witty, pretty, sweet and true.

NORMAN LINDGREN

"Spoofy"

Hi-Y; Dramatic Club; Football Squad; Glee Club; Annual Staff.

"Determination prepares its own way to success."

Norman's outward appearance would create the belief that he was an unusually quiet fellow. But still water flows deep, and upon further acquaintance Norman proves himself a regular boy.

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KATHERIN LONG

"Kitty"

Literary Society; Dramatic Club; Girls High School Club.

"An open hearted maiden, true and pure."

When it comes to the sweetest disposition in all the world Kitty Long has "ducks" on it. Being also bright and studious and not lacking in beauty she is very popular.

MARY FRANCES LUMPKIN

"Mary"

Girls High School Club; Short Story Club; Sewing Club.

"So kind, so noble
So generous and true."

Mary is the kind of girl you just can't help loving. Her sunny disposition, reliability, and willingness to help any one, at any time, have won her many, many friends in high school.

JOHN WILLIAM McCLUNG

"Billy"

Literary Society, Radio Club, Chemistry.

"He knew what's what
And that's as high
As metaphysic wit can fly."

Although Billy is a bit sarcastic, he is a true friend and a good sport. He is an excellent student, especially in science and math.

EVERETT HENRY McLEOD

"Mac"

Matthews High School; Basket Ball Squad; Baseball.

"A man's man."

Mac has been with us only one year. In that time his genial good nature and his ever ready smile have won for him many friends.

ROBERT LINDSAY McMILLAN

"Bob"

Marshal; Basket Ball; Rambler Staff; Hi-Y Club; Track; Capt. Foot Ball Squad; Cameron Morrison Literary Society; Naturalist Club; Vice President Senior Class First Semester; Manager Basket Ball; Class Basket Ball; Glee Club.

"His strength is as the strength of ten,
Because his heart is pure."

Bob is a leader in every phase of work. He is a true friend and a born athlete. Great things are expected of him in the future.

RALPH P. McNEELY

"Ralph"

Bairds School; Senior Hi-Y; Literary Society.

"When a lady's in the case,
You know all things give place."

Coming back from a year's schooling at Baird's, Ralph has brightened our class rooms by his surprising individuality. He leaves many friends among faculty and students.





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ROBERT MASON

"Bob"

Bairds; Foot Ball Squad.

"What should a man do but be merry?"

From the above quotation one might judge that Bob is never serious, but he is—sometimes. He is a fine athlete and has taken active part in the school activities. Good luck to you, Bob!

ELIZABETH LaCROFT MATHER

"Lib"

Freshman Club; Literary Society; Girls Club; Short Story Club.

"'Elizabeth' the angels named her. And they took the light from the laughing stars, and framed her in a smile of white."

"Lib" is one of the prettiest, sincerest, most lovable, thoughtful and unselfish girls in our school. She has many friends and is a staunch supporter of her class.

RUTH GERTRUDE MATTHEWS

"Rufus"

Girls High School Club; Literary Society; Dramatic Club.

*"To know her is to love her
So someone has said
I've often wondered how she stored
So much in one small head."*

"Rufus" is never tired of a good time. Let us present to you a girl who combines intellect and popularity, a rare combination, indeed.

RUTH MAYES

"Rufus"

Girls Club; Literary Society; Dramatic Club.

"To be merry best becomes you, for out of question you were born in a merry hour."

"Rufus" is a friend worth having. She is sweet, dainty, and always in for a good time. Her chief asset is her beautiful eyes, and she knows how to use them, too.

ELIZABETH MARGARET MEYER

"Lib"

Sec. and Treas. Variety Club; Girls' Club; Literary Society.

*"Dimples, lovely eyes and a smile,
Will always make friends worth while."*

Such is "Lib", her vivacity and charming disposition have made a host of friends. May her future be as successful as she has been here.

DOROTHY ERNESTINE MILLER "Encyclopedia"

Girls High School Club; Debates and Declamation Club; Commercial Club.

"We grow like what we think of; so let us think of the good, the true, and the beautiful."

Dorothy's happy smile and witty sayings are the life of our classes.

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BERTHA ETHELINE MITCHELL

"Etheline"

Girls Club; Basket Ball Club; Literary Society.....

"Who to herself is always true
And therefore must be so to you."

Etheline is a type of girl who is never fully appreciated until she is known intimately, but once her friendship is obtained she is a most loyal comrade.

ROBERT MITCHELL

"Bob"

Literary Society; Dramatic Club; Hi-Y; Track Squad; Marshal.

"Care to our coffins adds a nail, no doubt.
And every grin so merry draws one out."

Here's to Robert who has won by his lasting smile, our best and most cherished wishes. He is one admired, not for what he does but for what he is. Again we say "Good Luck."

WILMA A. MOORE

"Skimption"

Sec. and Treas. Commercial Dept.; Sewing Club; Basketball Club.

"What would we do in High School land,
If it were not for 'Skimption's' helping hand?"

Yes, this is Skimption. She is tall, slender and has blue eyes, but why describe her, for of course you know her by her golden hair. She is modest in behavior.

LIZZIE JANE MOORE

"Lib"

Etiquette Club.

"Silence oft displays deep understanding."

Lizzie must have been taught early: "Children are to be seen and not heard." She certainly has followed this teaching. We all love her dearly, though she talks very little.

MARY BAIRD MORRIS

"Mary"

Girls High School Club; President Hiking Club; Commercial Club.

"'Tis happiness that makes the world roll smooth."

Mary is an adorable girl, she has a winning personality and her willingness to help has won her many true friends, and may it also bring her success in life.

WILLIAM WORTH MORRIS

"Pinky"

Student Council; Literary Society; Cross-Country Club; Hi-Y Club; Vice-Pres. Hi-Y; Class Basketball; Basket Ball Letter Club.

"Pinky by name but true by nature."

Pinky is a friend to everyone and is liked by every one. His spectacular work in basket ball was greatly appreciated by all.





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THOMAS MORSE

"Thomas"

Literary Society; Modern Drama Club; Chemistry Club.

"May your wisdom be your guide."

Thomas is a happy-go-lucky fellow, but he always manages to do work. He is the teachers' standby when it comes to general information and you may know he is smart when he made such a high mark in the intelligence test.

DOROTHY LAMPEN MUIRHEAD

"Dot"

Girls High School Club; Literary Society; Short Story Club; Annual Staff.

"And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew,
That one small head could carry all she knew."

She pleases all with her pleasant ways and lovely smiles. Go to Dot in time of trouble and she will secure for you peace. Charms, why just look in her big brown sympathetic eyes.

MARY ELIZABETH MYERS

"Lib"

Freshman Club; Dramatic Club; Literary Society, Girls High School Club.

"To those who know thee not, no words can paint
And those who know thee, know all, words are faint."

Elizabeth is just about the jolliest girl in our class. She is lovable and altogether charming. Her bright, sunny disposition has won a place for her in the hearts of all.

ALICE PICKLER

"Al"

Etiquette Club; Girls High School Club; Greensboro High School.

"Her happy disposition, her pleasant smile,
Have won her friends for many a mile."

Alice is a girl of an unusually sweet disposition. She is a good sport and ever ready for a good time. The Senior Class is most happy that Greensboro High was forced to give her up.

LOUISE PRESSLY

"Jackee D"

Girls High School Club; Hiking Club; Literary Society.

"Her sunshine smile, and eyes of blue
Clothe a nature, loyal and true."

When Louise's name is mentioned one immediately thinks of a sincere friend, whose friendship is very, very valuable. She is a sweet attractive girl who is admired by all.

CECIL W. PRICE

"C. W."

Pres. String Instrument Club; Tatler Staff; Literary Society.

"A solid substantial fellow in more ways than one."

Cecil is a boy who can always be relied upon. He can write like a professional penman. He is also musically inclined.

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EMMA JOSEPHINE PRICE

"Joe"

Girls Club; Variety Club.

"The cheerful grin will let you in where the
knocker is never known."

"Joe" enlisted in our ranks in 1920. To know her
well is to love her most. By her bright smile and good
humor she has added pleasure to our days.

ANNIE MAE PRITCHETTE

"May"

Freshman Club; Girls' Club; Basket Ball Club; Dramatic Club; Literary Society.

"Tis worth my while to play, indeed."

She's hard to describe but she's sweet as can be, and
all who know her love her. She's a regular sport and
full of fun. She keeps us in a stew but then who can
take Annie Mae seriously.

CARR ROBINSON PURSER

"Dutch"

Bairds School; Basket Ball; Track; Literary Society; Naturalist Club; Hi-Y Club.

"What foolery lurks latent in the breast of very
sensible people."

Carr is one who is sure to succeed. He has taken
part in all our activities and has benefitted our school
very much. We wish him the best of luck.

ELIZABETH RAMSEY

"Lih"

Freshman Club; Literary Society; Choral Club.

"None knew thee but to love thee."

Although Elizabeth is small in stature she is never
over-looked. Her bright and cheerful disposition have
won the hearts of her classmates.

ELIE REDFERN

"Elie"

"Friends he has made in gracious numbers."

Although Elie is rather quiet and has never taken a
prominent part in our activities, he has done his part
to bear aloft our standard. We remember his "fighting
spirit" on the field and know that success is his.

REBECCA LEE REDWINE

"Becca"

Literary Society; Girls Club; Chairman of Service Committee of Girls Club; Choral Club.

"A smile is the trade-mark of a happy soul,
She has the genius to be loved."

Becca is one of the most sincere and sweetest girls
in our school. It is very seldom that we see her without
a smile on her face. We feel that if we would lose
Becca we would lose one of our most charming students.





Senior Class

LENA REECE

"Lina"

"Happy am I, from care I'm free."

A quiet, unobtrusive girl who is a dependable, steady student. Well liked by everyone. Lina need not fear for lack of recommendation.

EMMA VOGEL RIGLER

"Pill"

Literary Society; Sewing Club; Girls High School Club.

"A loving heart is the truest wisdom."

She is ever dependable, loyal, and sympathetic, and is ever ready to lend help when called upon.

RUBY AYERS RIVES

"Nutt"

Literary Society; Girls High School; Sewing Club.

"Drink to me only with thine eyes."

Ruby is a good natured girl and for this reason has many friends. She is always looking on the bright side and wonders why everyone else does not do the same.

GERTRUDE FRANCES ROBINSON

"Robbie"

Girls High School Club.

"Joyously I follow laughter's path,
And now and then engage in math."

Robbie, who left us for two years, has returned for her senior year. She is a good student and we all expect great things of her for even now her talent for expression is obvious.

MARVIN RUSH

"Marvin"

Greenville High School; Literary Society; Melody Makers Club; Radio Club.

Marvin comes to us from Greenville full of ambition. He is very musical and plays several instruments with the air of a professional. Dancing, skating and tinkering with radio are his hobbies.

FREDERICK DACOSTA RUSSELL

"Fred"

Glee Club; Debating Club; Literary Society; Business Manager Annual.

"There are only two great business men in the world—Rockefeller and——."

Fred has always had a reputation as a good scholar and a good fellow but when he was elected to the annual staff he showed his true ability.

Senior Class

DOUGLAS DANIEL SCHILTZ

"Coach"

Activities: Foot-ball; Basket-ball; Track team; "M" Club; Dramatic Club; Letter Club; Hi-Y Club; Marshal; Baird School.

"With his moccasins of magic
At one stride a mile he measured."

Doug, although small, is a great athlete, having made a letter and several stars. He has a way of his own with the girls, and is popular with both boys and girls.

WILLIAM SELLERS

"Susie"

Radio Club, Debating Club.

"Here's a friend, kind and true,
And he is always cheerful too."

Susie, though not a girl, is liked by the girls, and boys too, for that matter. He is good to everyone and supremely cheerful.

MARGARET B. SHAW

"Nazby"

"Armed as ye are with wisdom and truth, go
forth to battle for the right."

A queer mixture of conscientiousness, fun, and knowledge. She can always be counted upon to do her duty, whatever it may be. Her cheerful disposition has won for her many friends.

LEMMA JORDON SHEPHERD

"Lem"

Girls' Club; Cabinet Girls' Club; Literary Society; Sec. Short Story Club; Marshal; Rambler Staff; Annual Staff.

"Still they gazed and still the wonder grew,
That such a small head could hold all she knew."

Lemma is certainly a valuable adjunct to any class. Her willingness to help, her good humor and sweet disposition offer an explanation of her popularity.

KATHERINE SHOEMAKER

"Kat"

President Variety Club; Girls Club; Literary Society.

"A comrade blithe and full of glee,
Who dares to laugh out loud and free."

Katherine is a girl who always has a smile for everyone. She is one of the jolliest girls in the class and is the best sport ever. She always knows her lessons, too.

THOMAS LEE SHORT

"Shorty"

Student Council; Class poet.

"Large was his bounty, his soul sincere."

Shorty is a friend of all the students of our school. This is his first year in our school but he is well known and liked by everyone.





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CLYDE SHUFORD

"Shufe"

Cross Country Club; Al-Gra-Hi Staff; Hi-Y Club; Rambler Staff; Student Council; Literary Society.

"Whence is thy learning? Hath the toil
Over books consumed the midnight oil?"

What could our class do without Clyde? He is always willing to help you in any way possible, and we know that he is a fine student. We wish him good luck.

HELEN FRANCES SCHULENBURGER

"Helen"

Literary Society; Girls High School Club; Camp Fire Girls; Sec. Camp Fire Girls.

"Thy modesty is a candle to thy merit."

Helen is one of the brightest members of the Senior Class. Along with this brightness, she has all the qualities which make a good all round student.

GEORGIA SIMMONS

"Bigon"

North Charlotte High School

"She is jolly, good-natured, and true,
And her share she is willing to do."

Georgia is, indeed a true friend. She has a cheerful disposition, is good natured and sympathetic. She is very industrious and tries to please every one.

BEULAH MARGARET SMITH

"Schmittty"

Girls High School Club; Etiquette Club.

"It's nice to be natural, if you are naturally nice."

Beulah has hosts of friends. If Beulah isn't your friend, you have missed half of the pleasures of High School.

ILA MAE SMITH

"Smitty"

Literary Society; Girls High School Club; Camp Fire Girls.

"Grace was in all her steps."

Ila Mae possesses all qualities that make up a true friend. She has the rare ability of making people happy and lessening sorrow and pain.

ISABEL SMITH

Girls High School Club; Literary Society; Variety Club.

"A friend in need is a friend indeed."

Isabel is jolly, good-natured and always bright and smiling. Many's the time her laugh has cheered us. Her friendship once obtained is never lost, for she is most loyal.

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NINA SMITH

"Dina"

Freshman Club; Girls Club; Literary Society; Short Story Club.

"She says what she thinks, and speaks it from her heart."

Yes, Nina is a girl who always has a smile on her face, she never refuses to help anyone, and you can always depend on Nina, the girl with a smile.

WALLACE ALONZO SMITH

"Smitty"

Literary Society; Dramatic Club; Junior Red Cross Council; Glee Club; Senior Hi-Y.

"Hail! the Sheik!"

How little Smitty has grown! Once he was the infant of the class, now he is a regular man of affairs. His delightful personality has made him one of the most popular members of the class.

URSULA MARIE SOEHLE

"Oosie"

Hiking Club; Literary Society.

"Here's to the girl so good and true,
And the 'bestest' pal you ever knew."

Every one loves Ursula, for she is just a sweet, loving girl who is always ready to lend a helping hand.

MARY SPEIR

"Merry"

Girls Club; Freshman Club; Literary Society; Class Basket Ball; Short Story Club; Chairman Finance Committee of Girls Club.

"Blue eyes too pure and too honest in aught,
To disguise the sweet soul shining through them."

O what a pal was Mary, is certainly the sentiment of all who know her. She is sweet, sincere, and attractive and if once you win her love she is your friend for life.

KENNETH BRYAN SPOON

"Teaspoon"

Derita High School; Track Team; Hi-Y Club.

"A little foolishness now and then
Is relished by the wisest men."

Teaspoon's joys in life are only thru girls, good eats, and geometry. The second is good, the first is great—but the last is where he meets his fate.

JAMES MERRITT SPOON

"Jimmie"

Derita High School; Charlotte High School; Track Team; Hi-Y Club.

"His wisdom cannot be judged by his stature."

The boy or kid whom the Senior Class should have chosen as mascot. The favorite with all the girls. His only short coming is his height.





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MARY ELIZABETH STEWART

"Skinny"

Freshman Club; Literary Society; Girls Club; Short Story Club.

"In all my days, I never knew a lass
Who enjoyed life so much,
Yet so bright in every class."

We all know and love Mary. She is a dear, sweet girl and a friend truly worth having. We shall always remember her winning ways and pleasing personality.

SARA STEWART

"Sis"

Girls Club; Literary Society; Short Story Club.

"Silence is the perfect herald of joy."

Who is that nice, quiet, curly haired girl in the senior class? That's Sara Stewart—don't you know her? Well, if you were ever in the Algebra class with her you could not help but know her.

ELIZABETH STRATFORD

"Bid"

Secretary Freshman Club; Girls Club; Literary Society; Basket Ball; Treasurer Girls Club; Manager Basket Ball; Basket Ball Club; Letter Club; Marshal; Rambler Staff.

"Blue were her eyes as the fairy flax
And her cheeks like the dawn of day."

Bid is one of the sweetest girls ever graduated from our High School. She is a fish in water, star on the basketball team, and always the "belle of the ball."

REGINALD GOODHUE TABER

"Reg"

Ridgewood High; Football Squad; Baseball Squad; Literary Society; Cross-country Club; Baseball Varsity; Radio Club; Track Team.

"A true smile is always worth while."

Reg is his nickname. He's a friendly chap with a ready grin if treated right. His spirit is not lacking. He possesses high ideals and will win. Just wait and see.

GLADYS TAYLOR

"Glad Eyes"

Freshman Club; Washington Irving Literary Society; Junior Basketball Club; Girls Club.

"Half the happiness of living comes from willing-hearted giving."

Here's to the girl who has a smile for everyone. And she isn't the least bit stuck up. Gladys has an immense vocabulary which at times caused the teachers to turn to their dictionary.

HENRY JAMES THOMAS

"Henry"

Carmel School; Cross-Country Club; Track Team; Letter Club.

"However far we wander,
Where can we find a student more manly?"

We could not do without Henry, either in school or on the track. He is a great worker.

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CHARLES LAMAR THOMAS

"Molly Ghu"

Treasurer Literary Club; President Radio Club; Vice-President Chemistry Club; High School Orchestra.

"Start right, aim right and keep digging away."

Lamar has many enviable qualities and a character which will carry him successfully through life. He is a rare student, and sometimes the Physics class wonders that one small head holds all he knows.

JOHN CLARENCE THOMPSON

"John"

Marshal; Hi-Y; Literary Society; Sigma Delta.

"Worth courage honor; these indeed
Your sustenance and birthright are."

Not many of us know what John is capable of doing; if he makes friends outside of high school as easily as he has here among the students, we know he is safe.

MILDRED REID THOMPSON

"Mid"

Freshman Club; Girls High School Club; Literary Society; Marshal; Annual Staff.

"Not too quiet, not too gay,
But loyal and true in every way."

Girls like "Mid" aren't found very often. Along with her good looks and sunny disposition, is a little bit of mischief which makes her a regular pal.

MARGIE TODD

"Billie"

Choral Club; Commercial Club.

"But genius must be born and never can be taught."

She is kind, loving and gracious. Her witty sayings will cheer you as well as her rich, sweet voice.

JAMES HENRY VAN NESS 3rd.

"Jim"

Foot Ball Squad; Hi-Y Club; Dramatic Club; Naturalist Club; Glee Club; Sophomore Dramatic Club.

"Washington is dead, Cicero is dead, all the great men are dying, and I am not feeling well myself."

Jim was a hard working man on the football squad, and a good, all-round fellow. His teachers can attest his steady work in all his classes.

ESTELLE VAUGHN

"Stell"

Treasurer Etiquette Club; Girls High School Club; Literary Society; Dramatic Club.

"I'll be happy, I'll be free
I'll be sad for nobody."

Estelle's sweet manner and cheerful disposition have made her popular with all. As a country grieves over the loss of its landmarks, so C. H. S. mourns the loss of "Stell."





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ETHEL VAUGHN

"Chucks"

Literary Society; Magazine Club; Student Council.

"Here's to a girl with a heart and a smile
Who makes the bubble of life worth while."

Ethel is a girl who can be depended on and always knows her lesson. She is the center of action on days of tests or hard lessons.

ROBERT JEFFERSON WALKER, Jr.

"Johnnie"

Dramatic Club; Letter Club; "M" Club; Literary Society; Football; Glee Club; Naturalist Club.

"Oh! he sits high in the peoples' hearts."

Bob is an athlete and also an all round boy. He is very popular and we sure will miss him on the gridiron and in school activities. Make good at college, "kid."

WILLIAM P. WALTHER, Jr.

"Bill"

Elmira Free Academy; Literary Society; Glee Club; Class Basketball; Dramatic Club; Baseball.

"Courteous, smiling, obliging, Bill numbers his friends by the score."

By his past record we can see that a most prosperous future will be his.

FRED WARE

"Fred"

Basketball; Track Squad; Letter Club; Hi-Y Club; Class Basketball.

"Girls have been my books and folly is all they've taught me."

Fred, who came to us from Akron, Ohio, is well known to every body in C. H. S. He is full of school spirit, a clean sport, and a true friend.

HANNAH ELMORE WEARN

"Buster"

Freshman Club; Literary Society; Short Story Club; Girls Club.

"Though little and wise
She's a terror for her size."

Although Buster is not so tall, she makes up for this by being gifted with speech. When she is in the crowd always expects to have a good time. She is, indeed, a good all round sport on every occasion.

LILLIAN MURIEL WEST

"Billie"

North Charlotte High School; Literary Society; Etiquette Club; Choral Club; Girls Club.

"The girl with the smile is the girl worth while."

This can be applied to Lillian in every way. When you meet with her you would think she never has a care. She has a loving disposition and a winning personality. Here's to the girl with the smile.

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PAUL C. WHITLOCK

"Little Whit"

Bairds School; Football Letter Club; Hi-Y; "M" Club; Dramatic Club; Glee Club; Naturalist Club; Merry Makers Orchestra, Marshal.

"Here is a friend, true and tried,
A leader frank and bold."

Two years ago Paul came to us from Bairds, what could we have done without him in football and school activities? Luck to you, "Whit", may you succeed everywhere you go.

WILLIE HOLT WILEY

"Bill"

Girls Club; Variety Club; Camp Fire Club; Literary Club; Annual Staff.

"A smile for all, a greeting glad,
A lovable, jolly way she had."

"Bill" is a jolly, attractive girl—she's as smart as she is pretty and her memory will live long after she has gone from Charlotte High.

VIRGINIA WILEY

"Ginnia"

"Look beneath the surface, there is worth."

Virginia is a loyal, staunch friend. During her High School career she has won many friends. We wish you success, Virginia.

ELIZABETH WILLIAMS

"Lizabeth"

"Deep blue eyes, forever sparkling
Like a firefly in the night."

Fun, smiles, pep, that's Elizabeth. Not too serious, not too gay, but a girl one just couldn't help loving.

DOROTHY CAROLINE WHITE

"Dot"

Freshman Club; Girls Club; Choral Club.

"A quiet, diligent worker."

When you look upon this portrait of Dorothy you see one of the most respectable and dependable girls of the Class of '23.

MABEL BAXTER WILLIAMS

"Tony"

Freshman Club; Girls Club; President Literary Society; Student Council; Secretary and Treasurer Student Body; Pres. V PI Club; Assistant Business Manager Rambler; Associate Editor Annual; Sigma Delta.

"Faithful in the little affairs of her school days,
she is ready for the great affairs of life."

Mabel is "la creme de la creme." Always a friend when needed. Dependable and capable at all times. Here's hoping she will win as many friends and honors in college as she has won at Charlotte High.





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EDWARD WILSON

"Ed"

Glee Club; Football Team; Letter Club; Baseball.

"His talents were as numerous as the stars."

Right here we find a man's job—to write up Ed. He's an all-round good athlete; a splendid student when he applies himself; and last, but not least, he has a wonderful tenor voice.

ELIZABETH WILSON

"Skinny"

Activities: Girls Club; Girl Reserve; Hiking Club.

"Hang sorrow! Care would kill a cat
Therefore, let's be merry."

We really couldn't get along without "Skinny" for she is worth her weight in gold. Eat, drink and be merry is her motto—with emphasis on the eat.

JENNIE HUNTER WOLFE

"Jean"

Girls Club; Literary Society; Camp Fire Club; Variety Club.

"Once a friend, always a friend with "Jean".

Jennie with the golden hair and smiling face—always ready for fun, quiet, studious and reserved.

JOHN MALICK YONAN

"John"

Vice President Hi-Y; President Sigma Delta; Hi-Y Club; Debating and Delaiming Club; 1922 Declaimer.

"Noble by birth, yet nobler by great deeds."

John came to us fresh from the Orient when we were Freshman. John's sincere and frank manner and his gentle and unselfish disposition have won for him many true friends among his classmates and teachers alike.

NANCY DICKSON

Girls High School Club.

"From her eyes sparkle a message of youth and jollity."

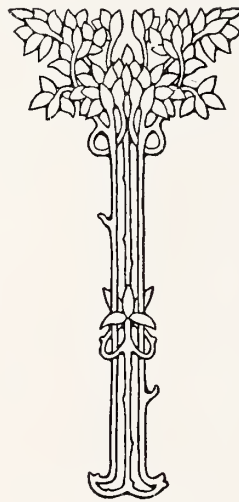
Nancy is one of Alexander Graham Hi's most dependable students. A good student, a sincere friend. We wish you all success!

"CLASS POEM" OF '23

By Lee Short

Farewell! A long farewell to our dear old High School!
This time must come to all: yesterday we
Planted here the seed of knowledge; to-day
We reap the harvest which has ripened,
Those honors thickly showered upon us; tomorrow
We must face a test—a telling test—
Now must we fear, dear students, that we will fail,
With the marks that here we've made?
Nay, make the world rate us high, and thus prove
Our work is not in vain. We have labored
With high ambitions, for those great ideals of life;
And through it all we've been happy, in this school
Of learning and art. Our hard won gifts
At last are falling upon our heads, they've now crowned us
As mariners ready for service, in the channel
Of life's great stream, in which forever we must swim.
Bright hope and promise of the world, we greet ye:
Already our hearts are open for ye. O, how happy
We feel to receive such princely honors!
But there lies, between us and the goals
Of our ambition, much to be overcome,
Greater trials and more hardships to be endured
Than has ever been our lot in school days;
Dear classmates, throughout our parting I've tried
Never to shed a tear; but this occasion forces me,
And leaves me with throbbing heart and troubled spirits.
Let's wipe our eyes, and look before us, classmates;
Here we shall be forgotten, as others have been.
When we meet and converse with some, who back to
Our minds recall the memories of schooldays, tell them
Our teachers taught us, here in High School,
To tread the ways of thrift and industry,
And sounding all the depths and shoals of honor
Found the way for us, by our school life, to rise to higher planes;
Though a sure and safe road, yet many fail.
Let's revere every teacher, for the training which he gave us.

Classmates, I implore ye, never cease to be ambitious;
With this aim, nothing is impossible; then let us
In the likeness of our Maker, not try to succeed without it.
Have confidence in thyself, cherish ye life's work,
And remember, dishonesty cannot win.
Carry in thy head a determination and self-control,
And faith to overcome fear. Do good and overcome fear
Let all the aims thou art working for by thy country's,
Thy God's and truth's; if we then fail, Oh Classmates,
We shall fail honorably indeed. Do thy duty;
And classmates, as soon we must go,
Let us give to the world all that we have,
Even the last effort, for it all belongs to the world;
All that we can own ourselves is our name and
Our loyalty to justice and truth.
But listen, my dear Classmates,
If we but serve the world with half the zeal
We've served our school, we need never, never
Fear any lack of joy at our success,
But the time for parting is here.
To ye, my classmates, our school, and noble teachers, Farewell!
Our hopes are high! To heaven itself they swell!





MASCOTS OF THE SENIOR CLASS

MARTHA PATRICIA WILLIAMS

Pattie is a very charming little maiden of three and a half years. She has large blue eyes and a halo of golden curls. She is a very talented little miss who can pose as a Dutch girl and sing before a large audience without being the least bit frightened. She has talent for other things, too, having early acquired the art of "vamping" and her charms have captivated the class of Twenty-Three.

We are very proud to have such a sweet little maiden for our mascot.

MARSHALL SHEPHERD

"Jack Buddy," as he terms himself, is a cute little fat boy, four years old. He has golden hair, rosy cheeks, and the most wonderful blue eyes we have seen. When he looks up from under his long lashes and says, "Please," no one could resist. Although he looks like an angel, he is full of mischief and is always teasing. He is not in the least bashful and is perfectly at home wherever he is. He has a completely captivating smile which he used to advantage in winning the hearts of the Seniors.



SENIOR CLASS CENSUS

NAME	BY-WORD	HOBBY	HORROR	AMBITION
Mary Alexander	"Good night"	Making Candy	Failing	To be loved by everyone
Mary Austin	"You're Crazy"	Football games	Getting up	To sleep as long as I want to
William Alexander ..	"Darn it"	Reading	War	Lawyer
Grace Anderson	"Gracious"	Rambling	Snakes and Spiders	To be exempt from Geometry exams
Nancy Alexander ...	"Ye Gods"	Movies	Getting Fat	To be a chemist
Pattie Lee Biggers..	"Oh Heck"	Riding	Snakes	To go to Europe
Sara Bell	"Dog bite it"	Athletics	Getting Fat	To go to Smith
Lela Bennett	"Heck"	Reading	Not to graduate	To finish College
Sarah Black	"Go sit on a tack"	Rall People	Music Lessons	To be a heavy weight
Mamie Bruns	"Great Scott"	Candy	Rats	To get skinny
Elsie Brown	"Wo-He-Lo"	Basket-ball	Not graduating	To rate a diploma on May 18, 1923
Lydia Brasington ...	"Good Glory"	Earing	Getting up early	To be tall
Margaret Brewer ...	"Darn it"	Talking	To get fatter	To get thin
Spencer Bell	"I'll be d—"	Tuting	Stunt nights, etc.	To loaf
Janice Bierman	"Ding it"	Reading	Exams	To travel
Esther Beauchamp ..	"Oh my conscientiousness"	Playing Tennis	Tests	To make good
Harold Burton	"Gosh"	English	Math	Janitor, C. H. S.
Lorene Beam.....	"Gracious"	Riding	Getting up in the morning	To do the impossible
Bonnie Mae Beam ..	"Good night"	Reading	Tests	To succeed
Johnsie Bratton	"My goodness"	Painting	Rats	Artist
Hugh Barkley	"See!"	Reading	Jelly Fish	To travel
Ellen Brantley	"Oh Grand"	Eating	Exams	To be loved by everyone

NAME	BY-WORD	HOBBY	HORROR	AMBITION
Thomas Moore Craig	Golly Moses	Science	Curly Hair	To get fat
Jean Crowell	"Aw Pshaw"	The Rambler	Being fat	To be like Miss Bertha
Rachel Carbine	"Ain't that cunning"	Reducing	Roaches	To be skinny
Winnie Craver.....	"I'll swaney"	Eating Dill Pickles	Geometry Test	To go abroad
Marguerite Cashion .	"Aw shucks"	Chewing Gum	Spiders	Be a good sport
Milton Clapp	"Shucks"	Dogs	Females	To loaf on full pay
Sarah Caddell	"——"	Reading	Failure	To go abroad
Richard Cannon	"That's not funny"	Laughing	To Study	To finish school
Elizabeth Clark	"Ga Rate"	Eating	Caterpillars	To find a powder that will stick good
George Carmichael..	"Durn it"	Eating	Teachers	To quiturate
Elizabeth Crigler ...	"Well I declare"	Reading	Tests	To accomplish things worth while
Ona Crowell	"Aw Thunder"	Earing	Frogs	To be successful
Wayne Dudley	"Good"	Dancing	Getting up early	To be a N. W. Mounted policeman
Arthur Daniel	"Carson it"	Chemistry	Explosion	To break a state record in track
Mary Elizabeth Doggett	"Cats"	Dancing	Rats	To pass Geometry
Sarah Daniel	"Oh it's tragic"	Eating	Being fat	To visi King "Tut's" tomb
Pauline Dickson	"Aw Shucks"	Music	Shorthand	To travel
Francis Davant	"Ding-ding"	Reading	My face	To be an Interior Decorator
Ruth Davis	"Oh my goodness"	Writing	Dogs	Go abroad
Fay R. Dwelle.....	"Oh peachy"	Swimming	Publicity	To carry a tune
Nancy Dickinson....	"Great Day"	Athletics	History	To pass History
Edith Earnhart	"Me too"	Eating Candy	Men	To dance gracefully

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Tony Eddy	"Potent"	Girls	Biology	To be gay
Louise Fayssoux ...	"Gosh"	Talking	Exams	To be a Missionary
Ruth Foster	"Grand"	Writing	Flunking	To be kissed
Helen Foil	—	Reading	Exams	—
John Fort	"Good Gracious"	Athletics	Idleness	Grow as tall as Ed.
Ethel H. Graham...	"For Goodness Sake"	Music	Out of tune piano	To be a professional accompanist
Theo Gary	"I'll Swanee"	Tennis	Mice	To teach "Cicero"
Elizabeth Gonzalez .	"Aw!"	Athletics	A rainy day	To travel around the world
Alice Gibbon	"Wo-He-Lo"	Athletics	Snakes	To be worth while
Jane Gilmer	"Waita Minute"	Davidson	Being fat	To be sincere
Virginia Holmes	—	Eating	Rats	To get fat
Jack Henderson	"Gah Reat"	Physics	Math	Street
Ruby Helms	"Oh gee gosh"	Dancing	To get fat	To travel
Mattie Sue Hatch...	"Oh gee"	Dancing	Latin	To get to school on time
Sara Hackney.....	"Hoot and Giggle"	Swimming	Rats	To be voted the quietest girl in the class
Everett Henley	"Kress"	Doing nothing	A club sandwich	To have a noiseless snore
Charles Hebert	"Shoot"	Easy work	Hard work	To spend my time at hobby
Brunette Harrison ..	"Good night"	Helping others	Virgil test	Medical Missionary
Margaret Holliman .	"Mercy"	Talking	Work	To travel
Edna Hampton	"Gosh"	Reading	Exams	To be a school teacher
Billy Harvell	"Consarn"	Athletics	Tobacco	To make Carolina's Basket Ball Team
Evelyn Harris	"Horrors"	Chocolates	Dates	To dance

NAME	BY-WORD	HOBBY	HORROR	AMBITION
Mary Lois Henley..	"Que Lastima"	Studying Languages	Insects	To be a Prima-Donna
Sarah Jamison	"Wouldn't that freeze you"	Studying	To be fat	To be tall
Minnie B. Jones....	"Aw Heck"	Skating	Tests	To learn Greek
John Jones	"Yeah"	Eating	Nightmares	To travel around the world
Jessie G. Jarrell....	"Aw dang it"	Athletics	Taking Exams	To be loved by all
Daisy Jordan	"Gosh"	Talking	Rats	To be a teacher
Bill Jones	"Goodness Lands"	Drinking Water	Driving a car	To go to Paris, France
Joe Josephs	"Stay in there"	Football	Moncy	Football team
Lillian Johnson	"How drastic"	Clothes	I told you so	To own a hot-dog stand
Sarah E. A. Johnson	"Oh Cute"	Poetry	Rainy days	To have intelligence
Isabel King	"Oo Gee"	Reading	Frogs	To be boss just once
Douglas Kendall ...	"Gosh"	Eating	Snakes	To get fat
Ruby Leoma Kilgo..	"Horrors"	Eat Candy	Studying	Musician
Willard Keerans	"Good night"	Pushing a Ford	Geometry	To read Latin
Margaret Kaderley .	"I'll say so"	Swimming	Animals	To do impossible
Norman Lindgren ..	"Gosh"	Looking 'em over	Report Card	To be of some account
Mary Lumpkin	"Really"	Eating	Snakes	To get skinny
Sadie Lawing	"I'll swan"	Sleeping	History Test	To travel around the world
Kathryn Long	"Shoot"	Picture show	Rats	To get out of Virgil exam
Etheline Mitchell ...	————	Sports	Snakes	To travel
Dorothy Muirhead ..	"Oh my goodness"	Movies	To get up in the morning	To have my name pronounced right
William McClung ..	————	Gums	Spanish	Radio Engineer

NAME	BY-WORD	HOBBY	HORROR	AMBITION
Thomas Morse	"Gosh-almighty Dun"	_____	Geometry	Mining Engineer
Worth Morris	"I don't know"	Athletics	Geometry	To pass Algebra
Lizzie Moore	"Good night"	Reading	Fail	Finish school
Mary Morris	"I don't care"	Swimming	Getting fat	To finish school
Ralph McNealy	"By Gosh"	Go to Alhambra	Girls	To pass Miss Reids' Geometry
Elizabeth Meyer ...	"Good Heavens"	Writing letters	Boys	To go to Florida
Wilma A. Moore ...	"Dog-gone-it"	Dancing	Shorthand	Artist
Elizabeth Le'craft Mather	"Rats"	Studying	Boys	To go to Europe
Elizabeth Myers	"Goodness"	Going	Boys	To be popular
Ruth Martyn Jones..	"Oh my heavens"	Eating	Red Hair	To have black hair
Ruth Mayes	"I'll vow"	Memory Books	Boys	To be a concert pianist
Ruth Matthews	"Aw get off"	Riding	To be hoodooed	To do others before they do me
Everett McLeod	"Hell"	Sleeping	Work	Learn Geometry
Dorothy Miller	"Well Sir"	Reading poetry	Studying	To talk like Mrs. Rucker
Alice Pickler	"Pshaw"	Football games	Rolling my hair	To have curls
Josephine Price	"Holy Smoke"	Eating	School	To return to Walla Walla, Wash.
Jackie D. Pressly...	"What in the Hang-Dick"	Walking the halls	Studying	To visit Honolulu
Annie Mae Pritchette	"Me Gosh"	Eating	To be an Old Maid	To reduce
Carr Purser	"Gosh"	Athletics	Flunking	To graduate
Marvin Rush	"Hot pup"	Girls	Studies	To be loved by everyone
Rebecca Redwine ...	"I'll Swiger"	Laughing	Exams	To be loved by all
Ruby Rives	"Ding it"	Giggling	Tests	To go out West

	BY-WORD	HOBBY	HORROR	AMBITION
Elizabeth Ramsey ..	"Well"	Reading	Tests	To travel
Emma Rigler	"Good night"	Talking	Exams	To go around the world
Fred D. Russell.....	"Great Storms"	Banking	Selling Annuals	To be a banker
Gertrude Frances Robinson	"Merciful Heavens"	Reading	Mondays	To travel
Katherine Shoemaker	"Oh Hecks"	Chewing Gum	Studying	To climb the skyscraper
Kenneth Spoon	"Shoot"	Girls	Geometry	To graduate
Isabel Smith	"Oh Conscious"	Talking	Bugs	To be a success
Cornelia Kirkpatrick Brown	"I'll declare"	Dancing	Fifth period	To travel
Helen Shulenberger..	"Oh, Gee"	Camp Fire	Nothing	To be a nurse
Lemma Shepherd ...	"Rats"	Taking a sporting chance	Being told, "I told you so"	To bring home the bacon
Lee Short	"Shoot"	Studying	Writing poetry	To do something
William Sellers	"By Gum"	Reading good books	Listening to a stale joke	To do something
Ursula Soehle	"Goodie"	Making candy	School	To be loved by everyone
Margaret B. Shaw ..	"What 'Tis?"	Dancing	To be a wall flower	To see the world
Mary Spier	"I declare"	Being a sport	To be too smart	To be a friend to all
Sarah Stewart	"Aw heck"	Vacations	A famine	To be a friend worth while
Douglas Schiltz	"Shucks"	Frolicking	Spanish	To go to Europe
Georgia Simmons ...	"Great goodness"	Talking	Cats	To finish in piano
Mary Stewart	"Jason, Jason"	Djer Kiss	Getting up early	To love and be loved by all
Nina Smith	"Gee"	Reading	Examinations	To go abroad
Clyde Shuford	"Shaw"	News	Girls	To travel
Wallace Smith	"Hello"	Spanish	Spanish	Millionaire

NAME	BY-WORD	HOBBY	HORROR	AMBITION
Elizabeth Stratford..	"Ding-it"	Skipping class	Boys	To be satisfied
Ila Mae Smith.....	"Goodness, gracious"	Dancing	Exams	To be a domestic Science Teacher
Henry Thomas.....	"My goodness"	Track	Studying Spanish	To be a second Paddock
Reginald Taber	"Great Caesar's ambition"	Golf	Spanish	To write like Milton
Margie Todd	"I'll Swancee"	Reading	Not graduating	To graduate
Gladys Taylor	————	Reading	Geometry	To pass Geometry
La Mar Thomas....	"Mon Dieu"	Chemistry	Poetry	To be Tom Edison No. 2
Mildred Thompson..	"Gosh"	Going	Boys	To be popular
Jim Van Ness.....	"Golly"	Riding in my Ford	Girls	To go north in my Ford
Estelle Vaughn	"Ding bust it"	Basket Ball Games	History	To ride in an aero-plane
Ethel Vaughn	"Pshaw"	Working Geometry Originals	Being late anywhere	To translate Latin like Miss Grier
Elizabeth Williams ..	"Bosh"	Football	Rats	To help somebody to be worthwhile
Mabel B. Williams..	"Never again"	Good time	Boys	To be anything but an annual editor
Hannah Wearn	"Aw, heck"	Teasing	Work	To grow tall
Lillian West	"Goodness"	Friends	Geometry	To be loved by all
Robert Walker	Not printable	To loaf on full pay	Money	To be an angel
Elizabeth Wilson ...	"Ye gods"	Reducing	Rats	Get skinny
Dorothy White	"Good night"	Reading	Exams	To be a great singer
Willie Holt Wiley..	"No!!"	Tennis or dancing	Monday morning	Gain some more ancestors
Jennie Wolfe	"Aw, ding it"	Having a good time	History	To have lots of friends
Paul Whitlock	"Dad gum"	Drumming	Mad dogs	To pass Geometry
Gary Heeseman	"My constitution"	Athletics	Virgil	To travel
Robert McMillian...	"By Granny"	Trouble	To pass on exams	To graduate from C. H. S.
Hannah Little	"Oh Heck"	Having a good Time	Studying	To travel

WHO'S WHO IN THE SENIOR CLASS

Most respected	Willard Keerans
Most influential	Willard Keerans
Most studious	Ethel Vaughan
Best leader	Lillian Johnson
The Chatter box	Sarah Hackney
The quietest	Mary Alexander
Most sincere	Ethel Vaughan
Faculty's pet	Mabel Williams
Peck	Carr Purser
Jolliest	Jean Crowell
Class loafer	Paul Chapin
Frankest	Elsie Brown
Most bashful	Ed Wilson
Question box	Fay Ross Dwelle
The long and short of it	Ed Wilson and Walker Jarrell
Peppiest	Alice Gibbon
The best all-round student	Willard Keerans

GIRLS

Venus' Heir	Elizabeth Stratford
Best all-round	Jean Crowell
Most popular	Alice Gibbon
Cutest	Sarah Jamison
Sweetest	Evelyn Harris
Most magnetic	Mabel Williams
Best athlete	Elizabeth Gonzalez
Most graceful	Mary Elizabeth Doggett
Most dignified	Lemma Shepherd

BOYS

Best all-round	Willard Keerans
Most popular	Willard Keerans
Best Athlete	Douglas Shiltz
Ladies' man	Wallace Smith
Most handsome	Fred Ware
Most business-like	Fred Russell
Rodolph V's successor	Wallace Smith

CLASS SONG OF 1923

AU REVOIR

TUNE: Lonesome, That's All.

Long years did we bear,
In achieving this day,
And we hope we've been fair
On the way.

Sometimes there were ways,
Where the tread was slow,
And many things barred our road.
We wondered if we thru those days
Could go,
If we could bear on with the load.

But at last we have won
Over all save a sigh—
'Tis farewell to old Charlotte High

Here's to old Charlotte High.
To her his'try unstained.
May her colors e'er fly
Unblamed.

May those placed 'neath her wings
Strive to carry on—
Strive on with her good at heart
Bear on with the things
That we've begun.
We leave every one to his part.

But we must away,
So we bid goodbye,
To our School, Old Charlotte High.

—MILTON CLAPP.

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

CHAPTER I.

The Beginning of the War.

Early in September of the year 1919, a call was issued for recruits to take part in the war for knowledge. One certain morning of the aforesaid month many lusty looking volunteers were gathered together at the barracks, Old Charlotte High School. They ranked as Freshmen, and as new soldiers often do, felt very much out of place among the numerous veterans. At last, after rigid training by the general—Fred B. McCall, they were well started on the first years' campaign.

The first battle to be fought was with Algebra. The recruits had not developed into disciplined soldiers, as yet, but victory came at last after their persistent efforts and under the steady leadership of Miss Charlee Hutchison. Following this wonderful victory numerous skirmishes occurred with History, Latin, English, and Arithmetic, but under the brilliant command of A. M. Elliott, Misses Connie Horne, Agnes Chalmers, Maude McKinnon, and Cornie Fore, the brave young soldiers emerged victorious.

In November the greatest battle of that year took place. The sturdy youngsters, for such they were, fought against their foe with ever growing courage and determination. The powerful exams were routed, but had to be met again and again during this war before they were entirely conquered.

In March the ranks were divided and the greater part of the troops was stationed in the new barracks, Alexander Graham High. The general, Fred. B. McCall was taken with them, while A. M. Elliott took the generalship over those who were left behind.

Steadily victory after victory crowned the youthful soldiers with glory. In May the majority of the army was granted a furlough for three months, and only those who had shirked duty were left to plod wearily on in the service.

CHAPTER II.

The Second Year of War.

Again in September of 1920 the troops were called back to their posts. This time, however, they bore the ranks of Sophomore, for they had fought so gallantly, had been so courageous and victorious that obviously they deserved promotion. They entered into battle anew, with greater courage and confidence in themselves. Jean Crowell, Willard Keerans, Sara Bell, and Wayne Dudley were given charge of the different divisions.

Another deadly foe, unexpectedly encountered, bore down upon the flanks of the army. With undaunted courage the troops fearlessly faced the enemy, Biology. Mr. Jonathan Couch led the charge gallantly and an overwhelming victory resulted. Success lay in their path and further established their faithfulness to the cause.

CHAPTER III.

The Third Year of Conflict.

September, 1921, marked the beginning of the third year of this mighty contest. The troops, who were now Juniors, were given a new commander-in-chief, Dr. E. H. Garinger, who had succeeded the former "Freddie B." McCall. Those promoted to the ranks of Captain, First and Second Lieutenants were Spencer Bell, Garrett Morehead, and Wayne Dudley.

A mess-hall, cafeteria style, was added to Alexander Graham and as a recreation from work the soldiers were entertained with chapel programs every Tuesday and Thursday.

Scouting parties led by Mrs. Rucker and Mr. Uhlman Alexander were sent out against Spanish and French. They returned victorious but brought back reports of the many hardships suffered while on their expeditions.

The most brilliant achievement of this war was the storming of the fortress of Geometry. The forces were encamped near the place for nine months and all the while the conflict raged. Finally, in May, Miss Fannie Moore and Mr. Alexander ordered their troops to a final charge. The fortress surrendered and the Juniors claimed the victory, though they came through with uniforms sadly frayed from the fight. A deadly epidemic in the form of athletics swept through the various camps. Those who were almost fatally afflicted were Douglas Shiltz, Willard Keerans, Ed. Wilson, Billy Harvell, Elizabeth Gonzalez, and Alice Gibbon. The disease could not be checked and continued to rage throughout the next year.

CHAPTER IV.

The Close of the War

The last year of hostilities began in September of 1922. The army took its place with a stronger fighting line, though many comrades had fallen by the wayside in the previous years fighting. Only the strongest remained to continue until the end. They entered the campaign with the lust of battle in their eyes. At their head floated a golden banner with "Semper Fidelis" printed thereon in white letters. It was furled and unfurled in the breeze as the veterans bore it triumphantly onward. Upon the brow of each trooper was marked the word, Senior.

The first half of the year they were led by very competent officers, Lillian Johnson, Bob McMillan, and Charles Hebert, and enemy after enemy succumbed to their onslaughts. Their superiors boasted of their ability and courage; they were evidently the pride of the land and they well deserved the honor.

The English sent forces against them commanded by Edmund Burke, John Milton, Thomas Gray, and Oliver Goldsmith. These men were notorious fighters, but the Seniors remained masters of the field.

This year Athletics took such a strong hold that had it not been checked in time those already weakened by it would have been carried to Chapel Hill.

The last half of this year Willard Keerans, George Carmichael, and Wayne Dudley attained the position of officers.

The Seniors were very confident and proud of themselves, but they were soon to hit a wall that was not so easy to break through. The commander-in-chief issued questionnaires to test the intellectual ability of the troops. They worked desperately for two days, and little did they think that this was only the beginning of a series of statistics, blanks, and other worries.

These soldiers had not entered battle to give up in desperation and despair, so they gallantly and bravely put forth the noblest efforts to win. They were nearing the end; victory was almost in view. The way became easier and at last, they came to the foot of a mountain which had to be scaled.

With colors flying they made a final charge and dashed for the summit where the coveted banner floated. They gained the top, and with their hands on the flag emblazoned with the word "Diploma" they gave a loud and lusty cheer for the victory of the class of '23.

ESTHER BEAUCHAMP, *Historian '23.*

SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

Every aspiration and effort in the world of life and of nature is directed toward some particular end. Work without aim is energy wasted. Then we who are to build the most wonderful and marvelous structures—human lives—must bend our every effort toward the one definite aim, for we know that in this as in all things the end crowns the work. Now that we have reached the goal of youth's ambition, we stand upon the threshold of another and greater existence. Let me discuss for a few moments those points toward which we steer the ship of our future activities.

While looking for a suitable place in which to realize our ambitions, we could not find a better place in the whole country than our own dear city of Charlotte. Here in Charlotte we see an open field of work wherein lies untold opportunities to aid in the development of the Southland. Charlotte, in the last year or two, has surpassed any other city in the South in its building and working plan. Everyone has something to do and the employment bureau has its hands full getting enough people to work. Charlotte's population is estimated at sixty thousand now; the forecast of Charlotte's population is one hundred thousand by 1927. Charlotte is the center of the Carolinas and also the center of the South in cotton. Such a city is a worthy place in which to settle and realize our ambitions. This city will need men to carry on its business in the near future. What better place could be found for the material of the future great men than in our own Alexander Graham High School. Merchants, lawyers, doctors, architects, real estate men, and other professional men will be needed to take the place of the men who are now building up the country. The Charlotte High Schools have put out and will continue to put out men who will do credit to their school and city. Even now, as I look into the ranks of my fellow school mates, I can see them as Charlottes' future citizens.

Boys with whom I once played and with whom I once went to school, I see as future great men of our country. Here I perceive the firm of "Whitlock & Walker," lawyers; here I see a corporation consisting of the great bankers of the city such as Ralph Bullard, Robert Mitchell, and Milton Clapp. There I can discern through the veil of the future the name of an editor, Clyde Shuford, the editor of one of the country's leading papers; while on this side of life I can see a master of musical art, Spencer Bell, and a singer of great renown, Edward Wilson. I can foresee some of our greatest architects, for instance, L. L. Hunter, Lamar Thomas and Jesse Dunn. Up the stairway of the future I can also perceive one of the greatest merchants, J. H. Van Ness, and Gary Heeseman, one of the country's greatest manufacturing managers. On another side, I can see a great orator, William Alexander, and the president of the "Southern Public Utilities Co.," Robert McMillan. Then, too, we see our statesman of international fame, John Yonan, on his way, a consul to his dear Armenia. I shall not attempt to prophesy the future of each and every boy of our class but as a whole I can see them leading in the commercial and professional world.

The girls of today, too, have many points to which they can steer their ships. There are many islands of opportunity in the great sea of the business and professional world, of the Church, of politics, and of the community life open to girls. In these positions for girls we are sure that the girls from the class of '23 will take leading parts. Can you not see Evelyn Harris, a famous artist, copying some masterpiece in the great halls of Rome? In the professional world I foresee Mary Lois Henley, noted concert singer, with Ethel Holmes Graham as an accompanist. In far China I see Ethel Vaughan doing missionary work among the natives.

The Charlotte Observer comes to my eyes with headlines reading thus: "Williams for Mayor." Can you not perceive Mabel as a politician who will get any office she runs for I can discern in the future Alice Gibbon, an ideal lawyer's wife standing out in work of community uplift and reform. Lillian Johnson, our esteemed class president, can continue her presidential career by taking charge of the Y. W. C. A. Thus we see the girls as well as the boys occupying many high positions in life and we realize more than ever before what a wide field of opportunity presents itself to them.

Let us keep in mind that to attain these high positions we must strive with every effort and put forth all our energy in the game of life. We must aim high and seek our places in the world with ambitions only reached by the eye and not by the hand. Let us follow the old adage and "hitch our wagon to a star". If we aim high and fall short, then we have gone a long distance, but if we do not aim high we cannot expect to attain a high position in life's problems. Every effort counts in our future activities and will help to mould us in the image of our ancestors. Let us hold forth the positions of great men as our goal and try to reach even higher than they; twenty-six hundred years ago Aesop said, "No matter how good you are, there is always some one better." Take Babson, for instance, the greatest figure in the commercial world, who dictates the prices of our country's products. Each morning, one can see his dictations in the newspapers. Wanamaker, the greatest merchant of our country, was a great Sunday-school worker. Thus we can combine our commercial activities with our religious duties. Woodrow Wilson stands as the leading figure in politics of our age and to what greater person could anyone look to as an ideal of their ambition. He was a teacher, a professor, a lawyer, a governor, and a president, which position he reached after years of hard work. If we keep these great men in mind as an example and hold their position as our goal, I am sure my prophecy will not have been in vain.



CLASS WILL

We, the class of '23, realizing the certainty (?) of graduation and being of a sound mind (not-with-standing the efforts of our teachers for four years to destroy it) have drawn up the following will and testament:

Item One: We bequeath our most valuable possession, namely that of upholding the integrity and school spirit for which Old Charlotte Hi is famous, to our most esteemed undergraduates, the Juniors.

Item Two: To the rowdy Sophomores, our ability to keep quiet when necessary.

Item Three: To the freshmen, the much abused (and enjoyed) privilege of duly initiating, by force and in spirit, the coming freshies.

Item Four: And last, but not least, to our beloved teachers our sincerest affections.

Done this ninth day of March, 1923.

J. SPENCER BELL,

Class Lawyer.

Witness:

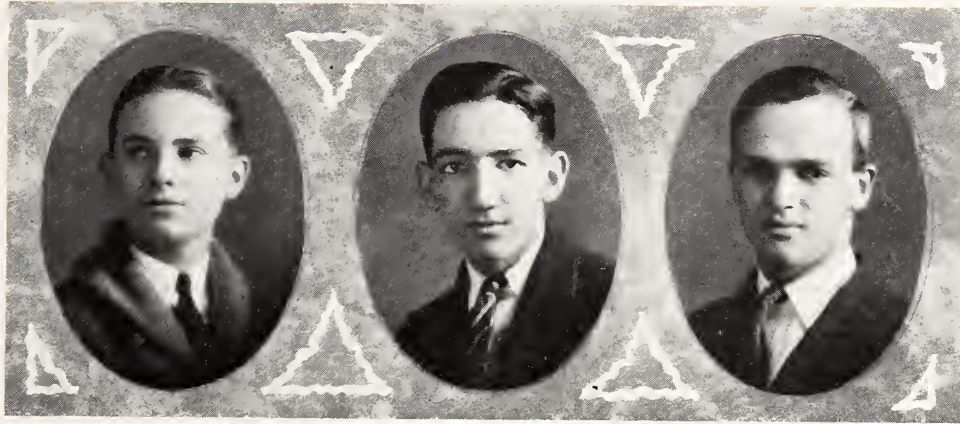
NANCY DICKINSON.



JUNIOR



— ONE MORE LAP —



ALLAN CHRISMAN

HAROLD BUCK

GEORGE PRESSLEY

JUNIOR CLASS

COLORS: Black and Gold

FLOWER: Jonquil

MOTTO: Meum Optimum

CLASS OFFICERS

ALLAN CHRISMAN-----President
 HAROLD BUCK-----Vice-President
 GEORGE PRESSLEY-----Secretary and Treasurer

MARSHALS

Annie Lee Mann, *Chief*
 Marjorie Kistler
 Kate Caldwell
 Helen Messick
 Mary Lamb Smith
 Virginia Hawkins
 Elizabeth Purviance
 Elizabeth Fowler
 Claire Yates

Allan Chrisman, *Chief*
 George Pressley
 George Dudley
 Harold Buck
 Hamilton Suttle
 Ralph Smith
 Val Guthrie
 Hugh Sinclair
 Stafford Wearn



JUNIOR CLASS

JUNIOR CLASS ROLL

ALLISON, JOHN ORR
 ALLISON, LUCILLE
 AUSBAND, VERNON
 BANKS, RICHARD
 BARKLEY, PAUL
 BARRIER, JOHN
 BENNICK, TED
 BLANTON, WILMA
 BLANKENSHIP, MERCER
 BOBBITT, FRANCES
 BOGER, STELLA
 BOYD, LYLES
 BOYTE, MARY
 BRADFORD, WALLACE
 BRADY, SARA
 BRANTLEY, ANNIE BELL
 BROWN, MARTHA
 BUCK, HAROLD
 BURNHAM, PHILIP
 BURWELL, LEWIS
 BURWELL, LILLA
 BUYS, SARA
 CALDWELL, KATE
 CARROLL, MARGARET
 CHRISMAN, ALLAN
 CLAPP, ERNEST
 CLINKSCALES, KITTY
 CLARY, FRANCES
 CLEMENTS, DONALD
 CLONTZ, HERMAN
 COHEN, IDA REID
 COLVERT, WILLIAM
 CONNELLY, CHARLES
 COOK, FRED
 COOK, JESSIE
 CORE, VIVAN
 CRAYTON, MILDRED
 COUCH, SARA
 DAVIDSON, FRANK
 DAVIS, HUELING
 DePASS, FLORA
 DeVONDE, VIOLET
 DIXON, EDWIN
 DUDLEY, GEORGE
 DUNCAN, JAMES
 DUNN, CHARLES
 ELLIS, ELIZABETH
 ERWIN, ALTON
 FARRINGTON, SADIE
 FARRIS, GRADY
 FEDERAL, CELESTINE
 FLANNAGAN, TESSIE
 FOWLER, ELIZABETH
 FRAZIER, LEONE
 FRAZIER, MARGUERITE
 FISHER, MYRTLE
 FORD, RISEN
 GABLE, HAZEL
 GALLAGHER, JOHNNIE STARR
 GARRISON, PAULINE
 GRAY, KATHLEEN
 GRIER, CHARLTON
 GUTHRIE, VAL
 HAGER, EDITH

HALL, ELIZABETH
 HANKS, IRIS
 HARDIE, HELEN
 HARRIS, LULA
 HART, GEORGE
 HATCHER, ISABEL
 HEARN, GEORGIA
 HENELY, LEOTA
 GILLESPIE, EVA
 HODGES, MARTHA
 HODGES, SARA
 HOOD, MARGUERITE
 HOUSTON, JOSEPHINE
 HUNTER, HAZEL
 HUNTER, OLIVE
 HUNTER, PARKS
 HURT, JOHN
 HUSSEY, ELIZABETH
 HUTCHISON, LOUISE
 HAWKINS, VIRGINIA
 INGLE, GLENN
 INGLE, LEIGHTON
 JOHNSON, SARA
 KELLER, MARGARET
 KELLER, THOMAS
 KELLY, LUCILLE
 KISSIAH, ELIZABETH
 KISTLER, MARIORIE
 LEDWELL, EDITH
 LINK, SARA
 LITTLE, ELIZABETH
 LONG, HELEN
 LYERLY, HELEN
 MANN, ANNIE LEE
 MASON, BURWELL
 MESSICK, HELEN
 MILLER, ANNIE
 MILLS, CATHERINE
 MILSTEAD, CHARLOTTE
 MOCK, KATHERINE
 MONTGOMERY, JACK
 MORRIS, MARY
 MOSS, THOMAS
 MOSTELLER, NELLIE
 McCALL, MARY
 McCALL, SARA
 McCORKLE, HELEN
 McCoy, JENNIE LEE
 McFARLAND, LILLIAN
 McINTOSH, LILLIAN
 McKAY, JOHNSIE
 McMANUS, ADDELL
 McNEELY, JOHN
 McNINCH, SAM
 NESBIT, OLIN
 NEWSON, HENRY
 NORRIS, HOWARD
 NUCHOLS, MARY LEE
 O'NEIL, GRAY
 PAINTER, ALLEN
 PANELLA, ELIZABETH
 PASCHAL, JOHN
 PATTERSON, KENT
 PEASELY, CAROLYN
 PEELER, HARRY
 ZEDEKER, LOYD

PHILLIPS, MARY
 PHILLIPS, FRED
 PHILLIPS, DOROTHY
 POLK, MORGAN
 PORTER, CLARA
 PORTER, HELEAH
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 PRICE, CHAS
 PRICE, WILKES
 PRIM, PAULINE
 PUCKETT, HUGH
 PURVIANCE, ELIZABETH
 REID, MARY MORRIS
 REID, ROBERT
 RENNIE, TERESSE
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 RIGLER, MARY
 ROBERTSON, LILLIE
 ROBINSON, ELIZABETH
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 ROWE, CRAYTON
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 SCHWARTZ, HARRY
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 SMITH, BRANDON
 SMITH, ELIZABETH
 SMITH, MARY LAMB
 SMITH, RALPH
 SNELL, CATES
 SOLOMAN, KATHERINE
 SUMMERVILLE, WALTER
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 WEBB, THELMA
 WEST, CHAS.
 WHITE, RUTH
 WHITENER, SUE
 WILEY, VIRGINIA
 WILLIAMS, VIRGINIA
 WOLFE, JEANE
 WOOTEN, ANNIE MAE
 WYLIE, MACY
 YATES, CLAIRE

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

On a bright, sunny September day in 1920 a group of singularly intelligent boys and girls entered the portals of the new Alexander Graham High School—this was the class of twenty-four. The supercilious upper classmen called us “Freshies,” but this did not worry us for we realized, as perhaps no other class before us had realized, that these supercilious upper classmen had once been called the same thing. We knew that if such as they had risen so high, there was nothing that could keep us down.

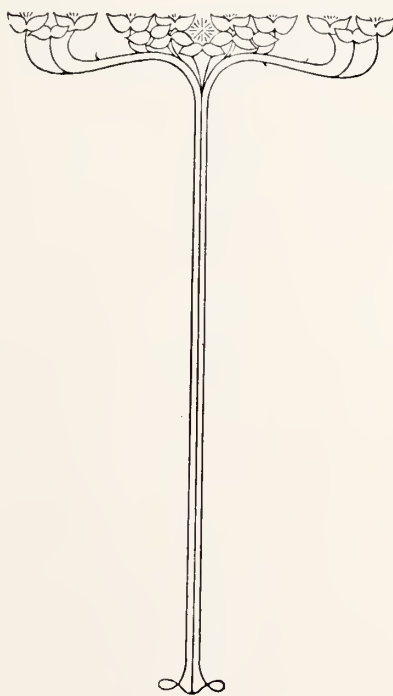
With knowledge of the greatness destined us, and the realization that moth-eaten customs would keep us in obscurity, the whole class settled down under the tutelage of Miss Charlee Hutchison, Miss Cornie Fore, and other instructoresses of the more or less exact sciences. These teachers of ours, not only imbued us with a knowledge of the three R's, but gave us many needed lessons in self-control, to which much of our later greatness is due. So passed our Freshman year unnoticed by those on the outside. Nevertheless, during this time we had risen steadily.

The Sophomore year was heralded in with a change; for in place of Mr. Fred B. McCall, who had been present to discipline us, if such had been necessary, was Dr. E. H. Garringer. Under his leadership we entered a new regime, a new arrangement of periods, the formation of various clubs, in which every student was given the opportunity of developing along the line in which he or she was most interested. In these clubs we, the Sophomores, took hold with a lively vim; we were interested in everything pertaining to school life; Athletics, School Spirit and Pep were our by-words; we lived for the fame of Charlotte High. Perhaps the world had not given us our rightful place as yet, but we had grown much in knowledge and favor and we knew that when we came back as Juniors we must be recognized.

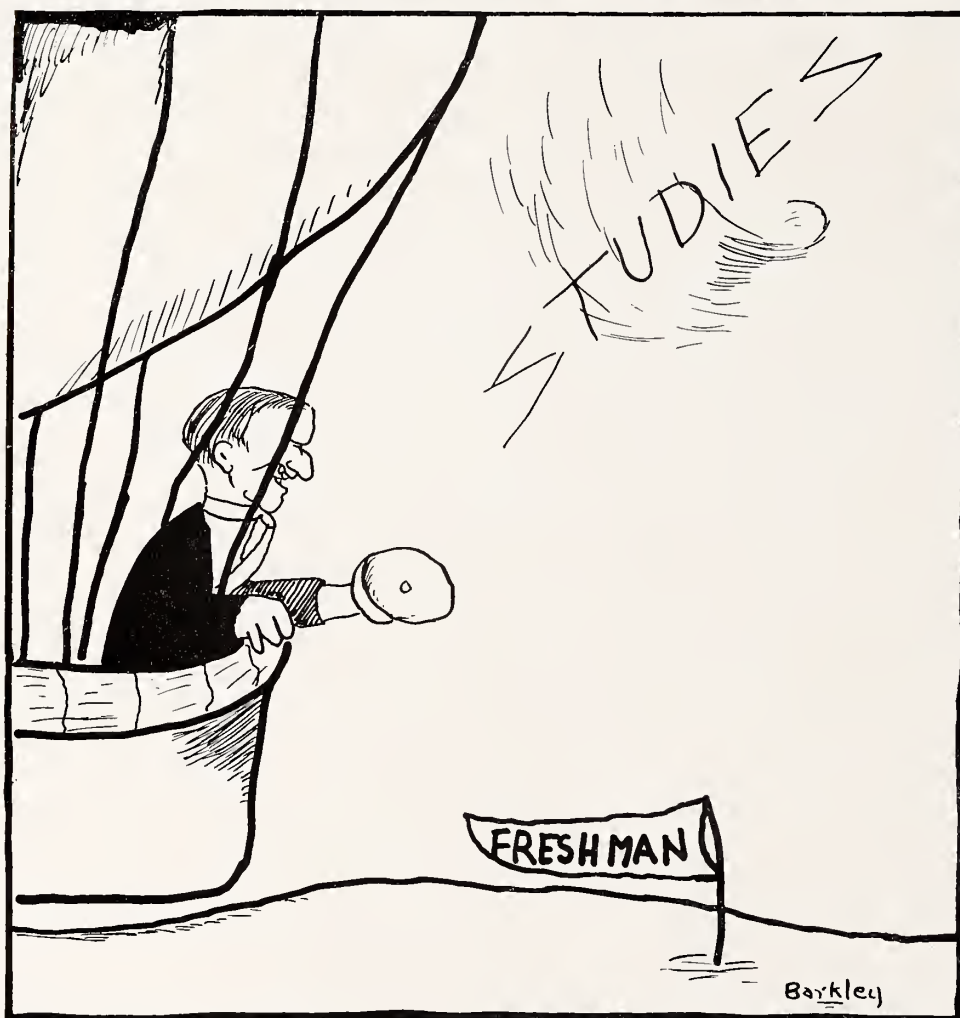
When we returned after the vacation of the summer, we found ourselves the merry Juniors, famed in song and story. Now our dreams began to be fulfilled; now we began to show the world. Who led in the approval of the Student Council? Who led in furnishing a library to put our school on the accredited list? At last we had come into our own. We tried to reach the heights of wisdom the Seniors had attained and very nearly did it.

It would have been a perfect year, had it not been necessary to separate us after the first semester. About forty-five or fifty of our class were sent to the new Central High. It was sad, but our indomitable wills kept us up and we made the best of our misfortune. We kept steadily on in the work we knew was ours. Now, in part our desires have been gratified, for next year we will be Seniors—will we not then bring to Charlotte High.

We must press onward and upward—just one more mile—the height will be reached and the class of '24 will be a memory.



SOPHOMORE



÷ GOING UP! ÷



SOPHOMORE CLASS

FLOWER: White American Beauty Rose

MOTTO: Sincerity

COLORS: Green and White

RUBY MILLER.....Vice-President

MARGARET SCOTT.....President

SAM BAKER.....Secretary and Treasurer

Student Council Representatives

MILDRED GREENLEAF

THOMAS ADAMS

PHILIP DAWSON

RUBY MILLER





SOPHOMORE CLASS

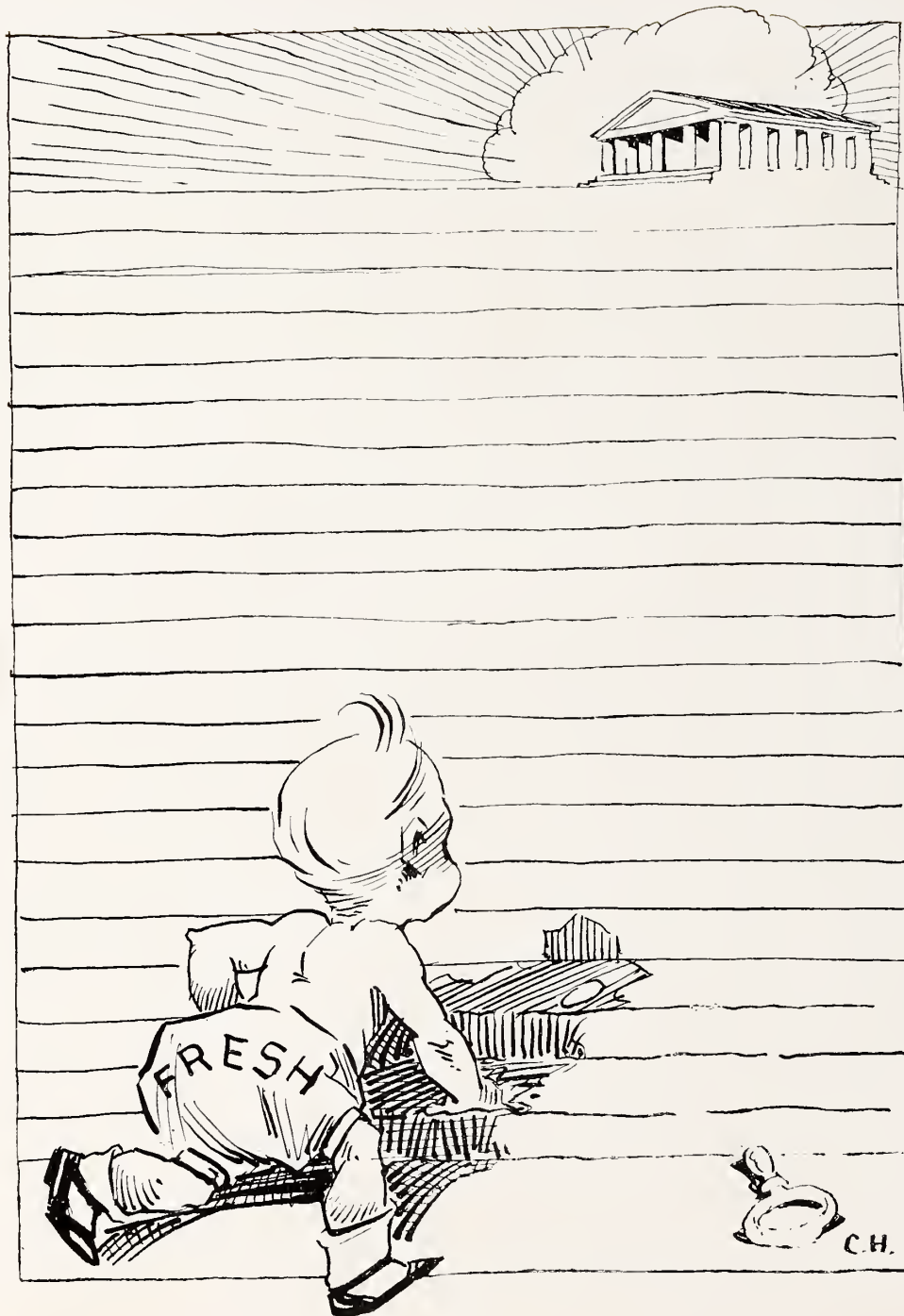
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 ALEXANDER, ELIZABETH
 ALEXANDER, NELL
 ALEXANDER, MARY BELLE
 ALEXANDER, JOHNSON
 ALEXANDER, ROBERT
 ALEXANDER, HOWARD
 ALEXANDER, SUTTON
 ALLISON, IDA
 ANDERSON, CHARLOTTE
 ARMSTRONG, CATHERINE
 ASBURY, NESBITTE
 BAKER, SAM
 BARADEL, RICHARD
 BARKLEY, PAULINE
 BEAM, VERGIE
 BEASLEY, MILDRED
 BEATLEY, ISABEL
 BELL, ALICE
 BELK, STELLA
 BLACK, RUTH
 BLAND, CHARLES
 BLANKENSHIP, ALSE
 BRASINGTON, NANNIE
 BLAKELY, MARION
 BRADLEY, CECIL
 BREEN, JOSEPH
 BRYAN, BETTY
 BRUMLEY, CLARENCE
 BURWELL, CLYDE
 BUNCHANAN, ELIZABETH
 BASS, WILLIAM
 CARSON, EDNA
 CARPENTER, MYRTLE
 CARROLL, HELEN
 CLONTS, ATRANTS
 COCHRANE, NANCY
 COLVERT, SAMUEL
 COOPER, LOYD
 COTHKRA, SALLIE
 CRAVEN, JACK
 CROWELL, BLANCHIE
 CROWELL, FLEET
 DAVIS, EMILY
 DAVIS, MARGARET
 DAWSON, PHILIP
 DELLINGER, PAUL
 DEPASS, NIDA
 DEVLIN, MAY
 DICKINSON, NANCY
 DODD, SARAH
 DOWD, MARGARET
 DUNLAP, ROBERT
 DURHAM, EDWIN
 DRUMM, LYNDALL
 EPTING, ALVA
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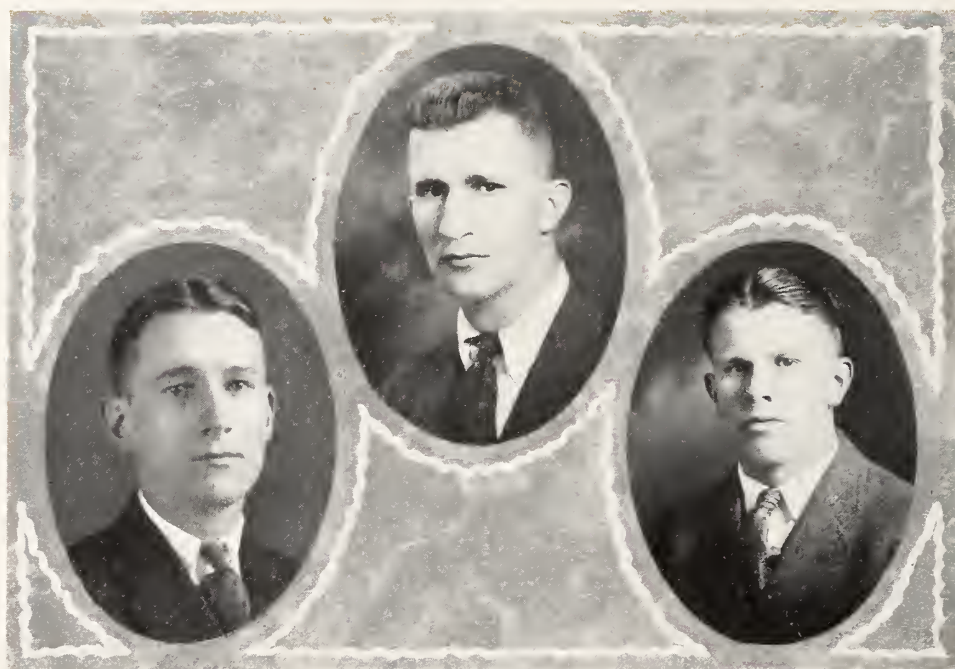
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BOOK II





FOOTBALL'S FACULTY

These three men, Coach Kirkpatrick, Manager Hugh Puckett and Captain Willard Keerans are the men who deserve the credit of making our football team the second best in the State. Asheville beat Charlotte and Asheville won the State Championship.

Dick Kirkpatrick came to us at the beginning of school to coach our football team, and from the wonderful results he produced, we feel that we have the best high school coach in this section of the country. He is not only a coach but a member of our esteemed faculty, teaching Science and Math.

When we speak of managers we feel that it is hard to beat Hugh. Every game arranged definitely was played to schedule and no postponements or misunderstandings occurred, due to the manager's ability.

Willard Keerans, as a captain, is unexcelled. He kept up the spirit of the team at all times by his own dauntless spirit and untiring efforts. Willard, or "Peter" as he is called by his team mates, is the most popular boy in school. His wonderful personality, and the charming way he converses makes him sought out by many and admired by all.

Much credit is also due to Mr. J. T. Penny, faculty director of athletics, who has helped so much in arranging schedules. Mr. Penny represented the Charlotte High School in the conferences for arranging the championship schedules and secured a good schedule for Charlotte. His work as a general supervisor has been of great benefit to all our teams.

OUR FOOTBALL SEASON

The football season of '22 was a fair success. The team as a whole functioned well and with the efforts of a good coach we were kept from the championship by only one team, Asheville. We started the season off with large one-sided scores and as the season wore on and our team whipped into shape, it defeated some of the best teams in the state.. Winston had a strong team this year, but Charlotte showed her superiority by getting the big end of the score at both the games played.

A team representing the Carolina Freshmen were counted as one of our vanquished rivals despite the fact that three of our alumni were players on the opposing team. Our first championship game with Statesville was very successful, but when Asheville came along she proved to have a nut for Charlotte to crack, so we gave our chances to Asheville and nothing stopped her till after she won the state championship at Chapel Hill.

A large amount of credit is due our two peppy cheer leaders, Brooke Todd and Alice Gibbon. Their efforts were not in vain, as anyone within a mile of school or the field will know. Good, peppy, snappy, rousing cheers were pulled off with such unity, value and skill that any college could get a good lesson from our students. It was an incident long to be remembered, if you were lucky enough to be in the bleachers, when the sweated team jogged out to the side lines, to be met with the bellowing "rah" of a thousand throats.

After a minute of confusion the old familiar "Ramble" would roll out over the field and sure enough we would "see those Charlotte Wildcats knock that Bulldog off the map."





FOOT BALL LETTER MEN

WHO'S WHO IN FOOTBALL

WILLARD KEERANS—*Captain*

Age, 17. Height, 5 Feet, 7 Inches. Weight, 135 Pounds.

Two years ago Willard was not even a "sub." Last year a better broken field runner was hard to find. But this year, when he captained the team with such skill, a half back with more grit and fighting blood than "Peter" could not be found in any high school. He could get the right spirit and excellent team work from his team mates that are so essential to a championship team.

HOWARD NORRIS

Age, 19. Height, 5 Feet, 11 Inches. Weight, 175 Pounds.

Norris, our ever faithful, steady, line plunging fullback, is the envy of every high school in the state. If six yards are needed the quarterback never hesitates. "Howdy" is the man for the job and he always does it, and does it right.

PAUL WHITLOCK

Age, 17. Height, 5 Feet, 10 Inches. Weight, 155 Pounds.

This is Paul's second year to play at tackle and although many tried to take his position away from him he vanquished them all and played as fine a game as is seen anywhere. He is always full of pep and the "right spirit" is his middle name.

DOUGLAS SCHILTZ

Age, 19. Height, 5 Feet, 6 Inches. Weight, 135 Pounds.

Doug is the quickest, surest, nimblest and BEST quarterback in this section of the country. He may be small, but it is seldom that 135 pounds of such fighting football humanity can be stuffed into the skin of a man this size. This is his second year at quarter and his crisp signals, barked at his tired team mates always gave them renewed life.

ED WILSON

Age, 17. Height, 6 Feet, 2 Inches. Weight, 165 Pounds.

Ed is a veteran at the football game, having been on the team two years. He plays fullback and quarterback with equal ability and that ability is of exceptional character. He proves baffling to his opponents for when he gets his hands on the ball they cannot guess whether it will be a pass, punt, end run or line plunge.

JOE JOSEPHS

Age, 16. Height, 5 Feet, 7 Inches. Weight, 160 Pounds.

It is very seldom that a sixteen year old boy can make a high school team and become as good as Joe in one year. But here is a shining example of it. As a guard to stop line plunges Joe is hard to beat, even in championship circles.

VERNON AUSBAND

Age, 17. Height, 5 Feet 10 Inches. Weight 133 Pounds.

Vernon played end in fine style, and showed much improvement over his varsity playing last year. He was the lightest man on the team but with this handicap he was chosen to captain next year's team. We wish you luck, old boy, go to it.

SAM McNINCH

Age, 17. Height, 5 Feet, 10 Inches. Weight, 170 Pounds.

When we speak of tackles, Sam takes the lead. This is his second year to play next to the guard and his ability to lead off tackle plays was a valuable asset to the coach.

HARRY SCHWARTZ

Age, 16. Height, 5 Feet, 10 Inches. Weight, 170 Pounds.

Some people are endowed with an ability to teach, others to play baseball, but Harry is peer of all who have an ability to play football. It seems that center was built to fit Harry because he fills all the requirements to perfection. There was even talk of him as captain of the all-state team, on which he was placed.

OLIN NESBIT

Age, 16. Height, 5 Feet, 11 Inches. Weight, 145 Pounds.

Olin, as a student, will never take extensive honors, but Olie as a half-back is another story. He sprang into prominence at the very first of the season and kept going until he won his letter with the rest. He is a fine player and the kind of material which is sure to take the coach's eye.

RALPH SMITH

Age, 19. Height, 5 Feet, 9 Inches. Weight, 145 Pounds.

Ralph is considered by many as one of the fastest ends they ever saw on a gridiron. They are not far wrong, and they based their conclusions after they saw him get under the longest punts, or catch the longest passes.

ROBERT WALKER

Age, 17. Height, 5 Feet, 9 Inches. Weight, 156 Pounds.

Bob is one of our greatest helps in winning games. Besides being a No. 1 guard or tackle (he plays both), he rarely misses getting the extra point with his educated toe. Few of his drop kicks go astray and fewer plays gain any ground when "The Kid" is at the brunt of the attack.

ANTONY EDDY

Age, 19. Height, 5 Feet, 9 Inches. Weight, 136 Pounds.

Tony has been playing football, for and against, Charlotte for the last three years. He is a wonderful broken field ground gainer and an ideal mate for his captain, always dependable and full of sand to the last notch. The college who gets him is certainly one to reap the gain.

JOE SANDERS

Age, 17. Height, 6 Feet, 1 Inch. Weight, 210 Pounds.

No, the 210 is not his telephone number; it is his weight which is always impressed on the opposing tackle. Joe came to us from Greensboro and we believe that what is Greensboro's loss is our gain and a mighty big gain at that. Joe will be with us next year and if he has his way he will be at Chapel Hill when the championship game is played.

JOHN BARRIER

Age, 16. Height, 5 Feet, 4 Inches. Weight, 135 Pounds.

"Drayhorse" is a fine defensive end and knows how to drag down the forward passes that count for the most. He is only in his first year on the varsity, but next year some mighty hard work is going to have to be done to keep him from winning his star. He is not, however, as slow as his name might imply.

Manager—HUGH PUCKETT

Age, 17. Height, 5 Feet, 7 Inches. Weight, 153 Pounds.

Hugh had fine prospects to make the varsity this year but was unfortunate to break his collar bone, and, as you can't keep a good man down, he went right ahead and became manager. A fine job he did too, no games were canceled and everything went smoothly under his management.



CHARLOTTE HIGH SCHOOL TRACK TEAM

Last year Charlotte High's first track team followed out a successful year. We won the cup at the county meet, and took home the honors by a small margin in a dual meet with Shelby. This year we have a coach for the distance men, a coach for the dash men and an abundance of good material, so the prospects for the season are good.

On March 9, eight men were sent to Durham and by their efforts brought home the second cup won by our school in two years. Thomas, Gallagher, and McMillan won the most points for Charlotte, getting twenty in all. This was nearly twice that of their nearest competitor, Chapel Hill, who came in with twelve points.

The schedule for the rest of the year is as follows:

March 30. A dual meet with Greensboro in Charlotte.

April 13. The State meet in Chapel Hill.

April 20. The county meet in Charlotte.

May 5. A meet for all schools in the western part of the state, at Greensboro.

A triangular meet of Shelby, Lincolnton and Charlotte is pending but no decision has been made yet.

WHO'S WHO ON THE TRACK

HENRY THOMAS

Age, 18. Height, 5 Feet, 9 Inches. Weight, 144.

Henry is our crack dash man, doing the hundred yards in 10 2-5 seconds. He went to all the track meets and carried away all honors of his class. Henry expects to do some mighty big things this year. Go to it, Henry, we are right behind you.

PHILIP GALLAGHER

Age, 18. Height, 5 Feet, 9 Inches. Weight, 135.

Phillip is our best distance man, running the mile in 4 minutes and 50 seconds. The secret of his success is faithful training. Every day, be it raining or pleasant, one can see Philip stepping off his mile or two in fine style.

ARTHUR DANIELS

Age, 17. Height, 6 Feet. Weight, 140.

Whenever Phillip runs the mile Arthur is sure to be right behind him. Arthur is a hard man to beat at either the mile or the half mile. He trains faithfully, has fine endurance and a plentiful supply of genuine grit.

DOUGLAS SCHILTZ

Age, 19. Height, 5 Feet, 6 Inches. Weight, 135.

When the high jumping or pole vaulting is mentioned, Doug's name comes automatically. His legs are as steel springs, and when called into play clear any height with ease and grace.

RALPH BULLARD

Age, 17. Height, 6 Feet. Weight, 156.

Ralph is a fine half mile man; his form is good, his wind excellent and plenty of fight to put him across the tape in the lead of the entire field. Ralph is a husky young athlete and there is no telling how far up the ladder he may mount before old age overtakes him.

CARL SELDEN

Age, 17. Height, 5 Feet, 9 Inches. Weight, 135.

Carl is another of our fast half mile men. He knows how to set the pace and is on to all the ins and outs of the game. With the proper training he should go far.

ROBERT McMILLAN

Age, 17. Height, 5 Feet, 7 Inches. Weight, 148.

Robert, or Bobby Mac, as he is distinguished, is a middle distance man of the first class. He runs the quarter mile in fine time and clears a few hurdles if they happen to be in his path.



CHARLOTTE HIGH SCHOOL SONGS

CHARLOTTE HI

Tune: *Old Davidson*

Old Charlotte High
We will down them, down them every one;
Old Charlotte High
We will conquer ere the day is done:
Down - - - - - High School
As through their lines we fly
All for the honor of old Charlotte Hi.

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RAMBLE

Charlotte has a wildcat
With long and grizzly hair,
And - - - - - has a bulldog
Now wouldn't that make a pair
And when they get together
There's sure to be a scrap
Just watch that Charlotte Wildcat
Knock that bulldog off the map.

Chorus:

Oh! We'll ramble, ramble
Ramble all around,
In and out of the town
We'll ramble, ramble,
We'll ramble till the Wildcat knocks him
down.

Tune: *Stars and Stripes Forever.*

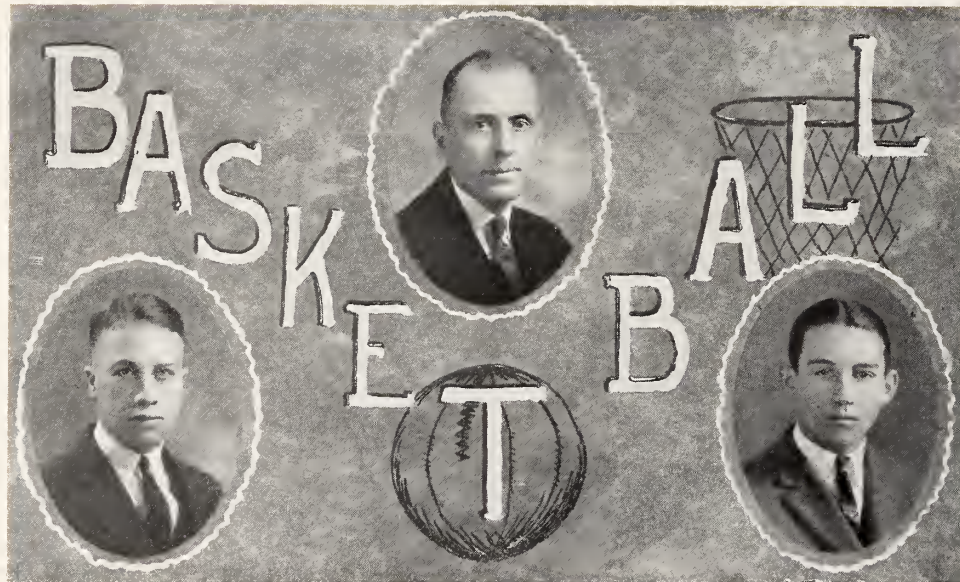
Cheer the team as it comes on the field;
It's a team that never will yield;
Our line is as strong as a wall,
And our team will keep the ball;
Our backfield is full of vim,
And our men are always in fighting trim;
So let's be true until the end,
And to old CHARLOTTE HIGH
SCHOOL, C. H. S. forever.

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Tune: *Washington and Lee Swing*

Oh, when those CHARLOTTE wildcats
fall in line,
We're going to win that game another time;
We're going to fight, fight, fight for every
yard;
We're going to circle those ends and hit
that line right hard;
We're going to roll old.....on the sod;
We're going to catch that old team off
its guard;
And everyone must fight to do his part;
Hit them hard—for C. H. S.





BILLY HARVELL

MR. FAUL

ROBERT McMILLAN

BASKETBALL SCORES

Charlotte High.....	44	Bairds School	17
Charlotte High.....	23	Kannapolis	25
Charlotte High.....	29	Kings Mountain	11
Charlotte High.....	14	Spartanburg	22
Charlotte High.....	17	Kannapolis	21
Charlotte High.....	29	Greensboro	6
Charlotte High.....	59	Belmont Abbey	10
Charlotte High.....	25	Mooresville	31
Charlotte High.....	44	Belmont	10
Charlotte High.....	22	Durham	30
Charlotte High.....	18	Mooresville	26
Charlotte High.....	19	Spartanburg	27
Charlotte High.....	18	C. M. N. A.	19
Charlotte High.....	10	Asheville	19
Charlotte High.....	5	Asheville School	29
Charlotte High.....	29	Employed Boys	19
Charlotte High.....	28	Belmont	12
Charlotte High.....	37	Crossnore	18
Charlotte High.....	21	Davidson	12
Charlotte High.....	18	C. M. N. A.	19
Charlotte High.....	28	Greensboro	17
Charlotte High.....	14	Winston-Salem	25
Charlotte High.....	22	Bessemer City	11
Charlotte High.....	18	Belmont Abbey	14
Charlotte High.....	20	Belmont Abbey	22
Charlotte High.....	24	Davidson	7
Charlotte High.....	18	Winston-Salem	18
Charlotte High.....	23	Dallas	15
Charlotte High.....	31	Lincolnton	6
Charlotte High.....	29	Cornelius	11
Charlotte High.....	24	Asheville School	13



BASKET BALL TEAM

WHO'S WHO IN BASKET BALL

CAPTAIN BILLY HARVELL

Age, 18. Height, 5 feet, 6 inches. Weight, 123.

At the first of the year Billy was a little off his game, but when the championship games started he struck his former stride, and came out with flying colors. He kept up the spirit of the team in fine shape and much of the team's success is due to its captain.

HOWARD NORRIS

Age, 19. Height, 5 feet, 11 inches. Weight, 175.

Every team has its mainstay. "Howdy" is certainly the one to whom this honor is rightfully given. He is a fine guard and his ability helped to keep down the opposing team's score.

WORTH MORRIS

Age, 17. Height, 5 feet, 8 inches. Weight, 140.

Many times Worth has been referred to as "that bricktopped fighting guard." He came by this name because he never let up on his game and was at all times an excellent running mate for Norris.

FRED WARE

Age, 18. Height, 5 feet, 10 inches. Weight, 147.

Fred is without an equal in the game anywhere. His long shots rarely went astray and he was the biggest factor for scoring on the team.

GEORGE CARMICHAEL

Age, 16. Height, 6 feet, 2 inches. Weight, 142.

"Frisky" is certainly there when it comes to getting the tip from the opposing center. He is still going good and we expect great things from him at Carolina.

ANTHONY EDDY

Age, 19. Height, 5 feet, 9 inches. Weight, 136.

Eddy seems to never know when to stop after playing star basket ball—for two years he comes back and does the same thing again. Eddy is a fine forward and scoring seems to be his middle name.

RALPH BULLARD

Age, 17. Height, 6 feet. Weight, 156.

The tall men certainly do make fine basketball players and Ralph is no exception. His guarding is very good and "Fess" knew how to use him to the best advantage.

WILLARD KEERANS

Age, 17. Height, 5 feet, 7 inches. Weight, 135.

Willard knows good basketball and shows all his knowledge in every game. He is a good, sure guard, and has scored more than one game from the pot.



ELIZABETH GONZALEZ, Captain ELIZABETH STRATFORD, Manager.

Our Girls Team of '23 has had the luck which seldom comes to girls. They succeeded in getting our beloved "Coach Dick" as coach for their team. He is a fine coach. Our girls have learned principles in basket ball which they had never known before. Their team work is to be highly praised.

Our manager has secured for us the most agreeable people to play and the games have been thoroughly pleasant.

We wish to thank the Student Body for helping us by coming to our games. We have done our best as the scores of the year show:

C. H. S.	16	Huntersville	18
C. H. S.	29	Mooresville	9
C. H. S.	12	Huntersville	18
C. H. S.	17	Winston	43
C. H. S.	58	Hickory	3
C. H. S.	22	Winston	20
C. H. S.	27	Lexington	19
C. H. S.	49	Concord	8
C. H. S.	18	Monroe	12
C. H. S.	28	Mooresville	21
Total	276		171

ELIZABETH GONZALEZ, *Captain, Forward*

Elizabeth had the honor of being chosen captain of the team of '23. Her ability for shooting goals and captaining her team has won for Charlotte High most of the games. When Elizabeth gets her hands on the ball there is more than likely to be two points for Charlotte. If it wasn't for our Captain, "What would we do?"

ELIZABETH STRATFORD, *Forward*

Stratford has shown us her business ability by her wonderful success as manager of the team. She also shows us splendid work as Forward. In fact, she can play almost anywhere. Coach played her at guard in several games and she shone there as she does as Forward. We have great expectations for her future basket ball career—and, "Bid", we hate to give you up.

WAYNE DUDLEY, *Guard*

Wayne, though not very tall, can not be surpassed as Guard. She plays stationary guard, and when she gets in front of her girl, she sticks. She is quick and is always in the right place at the right time. Our team would not be complete without Wayne.

SARAH COUCH, *Center*

This is the first year Sara has been on the Varsity Squad, but you would never know it. You would think she was a regular "professional". She is quick and puts up a good game. She is one of the best fighters on the team. Sara can always be counted upon to do her best.

ALICE GIBBON, *Center*

Charlotte flatters herself by saying she has two of the best guards "going". Alice is "petite" also, but she is grand. She is just as peppy in a game as she is naturally. When she gets her hand on the ball, there it stays until the whistle blows. This is Alice's first year on the squad, too, but we know it won't be her last. We're hoping great things for you, Alice.

MILDRED CAVE, *Forward*

This being Mildred's first year on the squad, you would naturally think her a little timid. But not Mildred for such as that. She doesn't mind such a little thing as a fall just so she keeps her hand on the ball. We're looking to great work for Mildred next year.

ELSIE BROWN, *Guard*

Elsie is also a new one. She is quick and "means business" when she's in the game. She fights for her rights and simply dotes on tall girls as her opponent. Height can't stop Elsie. She knows how to work them. Elsie is the kind to have when you want a hard fought game.

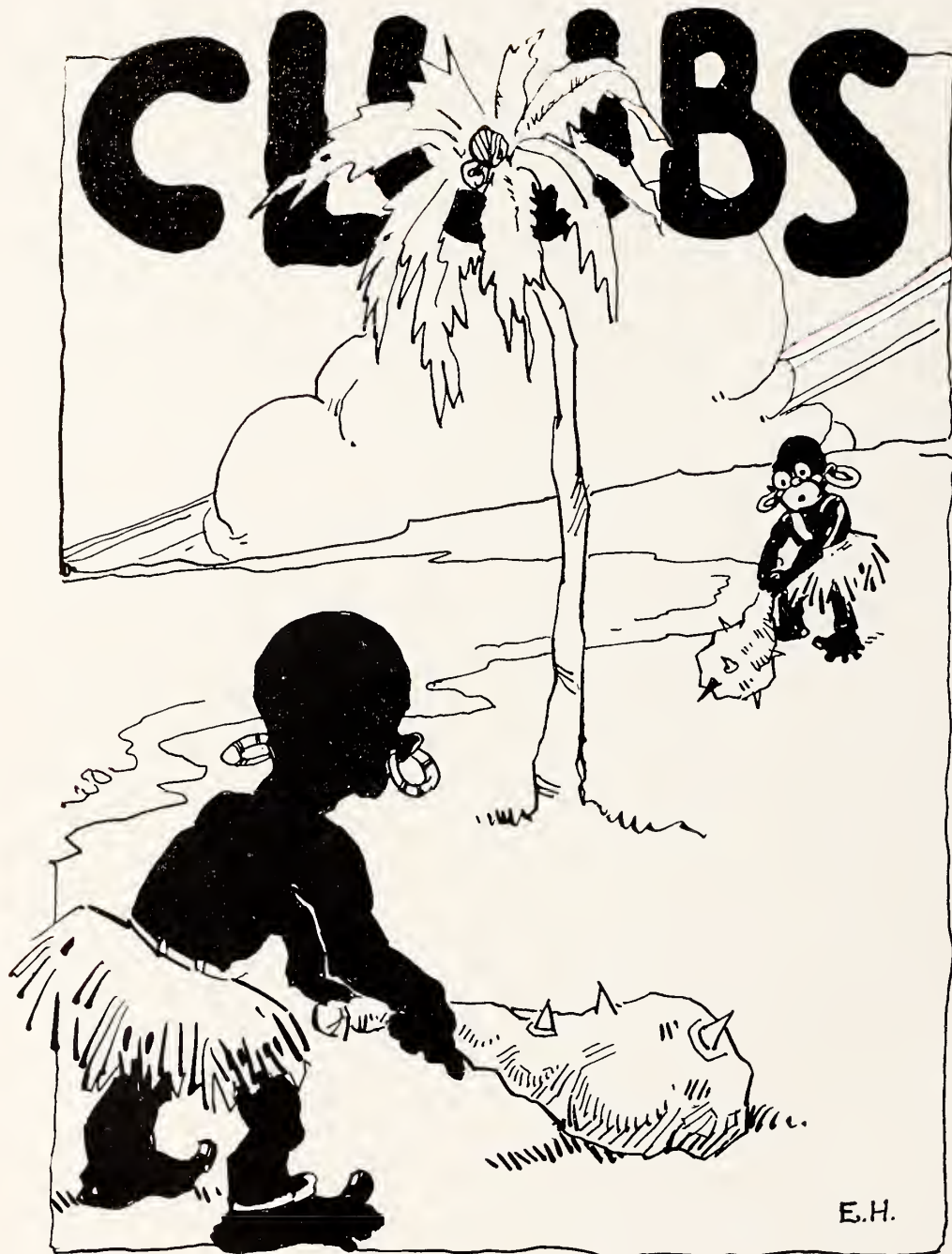
THE SUBS

We have the best bunch of Subs, and we are looking to them to carry on the glory of old C. H. S. next year. We're depending on you, Subs, show us.

Subs: EDITH DUDLEY, MARY ELIZABETH BARNETT, BETTY BRYAN, MARY MILLS HAM, MARY LEE NUCHOLS, FAITH DUDLEY.



GIRL'S BASKETBALL TEAM



THE HI-Y CLUBS

The Hi-Y clubs are the only boys' clubs which have for their motive the development of the spiritual side of the student's life. As stated in its purpose, they stand for Christian character and Christian ideals and the spread of these ideals throughout the student body. Not all students may become Hi-Y men, but through its members this club has an influence over the student body and this influence tends to raise the standards of living of the high school. It is a distinct honor for a boy to be elected into a club, as the club requires of its members to be the highest type of manhood, and to live up to the laws and the spirit of the Hi-Y.

There are four Hi-Y's in the Charlotte High School; two Senior Hi-Y's, the Junior Hi-Y, and the Sophomore Hi-Y. Each club holds a meeting once a week under the leadership of a man who is in sympathy with the Hi-Y work and is capable of directing the energies of his club. At these meetings the work and the activities of the club are discussed; the meeting is opened and closed with prayer and the spirit of Christ prevails over all.

THE GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL CLUB

The Girls' High School Club is an organization under the Direction of the local Young Woman's Christian Association, to which any high school girl above the Freshman Class may belong. It was organized in 1906, and since that time has greatly increased in membership and influence, until to-day it is a factor of the greatest importance in creating and maintaining high ideals in our school.

At the regular club meetings short talks and pageants are had which are both interesting and inspiring. The Come Clean Campaign and the contest held with the Hi-Y Clubs at the first of the year were also helpful in more ways than one. It is true that we lost the latter, by a close margin, but nevertheless we feel that the contest was a decided success. This year a great many girls in our club are trying to win a Girl Reserve ring, the highest honor which may be awarded to any girl reserve. To do this she must, to the best of her ability, live up to the high ideals for which the club stands. Throughout the year the club has done much to help others. At Thanksgiving and Christmas several poor families of the city received well-filled baskets and later we gave the Good Samaritan Hospital things which are always needed around a hospital.

There is a social side to the club. The "Hobgoblin Banquet", given on Hallowe'en, the banquet for the Hi-Y boys at the close of the contest, and the Martha Washington Party will be remembered for a long, long time.

Looking back over this year we feel that, in all phases of our club activities, we have come a long way toward accomplishing our purpose, which is "to create, maintain, and extend, throughout the Charlotte High School, high ideals of Christian Character, and to lead girls to a personal knowledge of Jesus Christ as Saviour and Friend."

The purpose of the Hi-Y clubs is to create, maintain and extend throughout the school and community higher standards of Christian character.



GIRL'S HIGH SCHOOL CLUB

THE GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL CLUB

THIS YEAR'S CABINET

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 KATE CALDWELL.....Finance
 REBECCA REDWINE.....Service
 WAYNE DUDLEY.....Social

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 MISS LOUISE CARR.....Membership
 MISS SUSIE HUTCHINSON.....Service
 MISS DEANE VAN LANDINGHAM.....Social
 MISS BLET SMITH.....Ring Standards
 MISS MARTON DUDLEY.....Girl Reserve Sec. Y. W. C. A.

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 HAZEL HUNTER

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 MARY REID
 MILDRED PRINCE
 MARGARET MORSE

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 MILDRED CRAYTON
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 MARY ELIZABETH DOGGETT
 DOROTHY MUIRHEAD
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 KATHRYN LONG
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GARY HEESEMAN	JAMES VANNESS
LEGRANDE HUNTER	PAUL WHITLOCK
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SENIOR HI-Y CLUB NO. 2

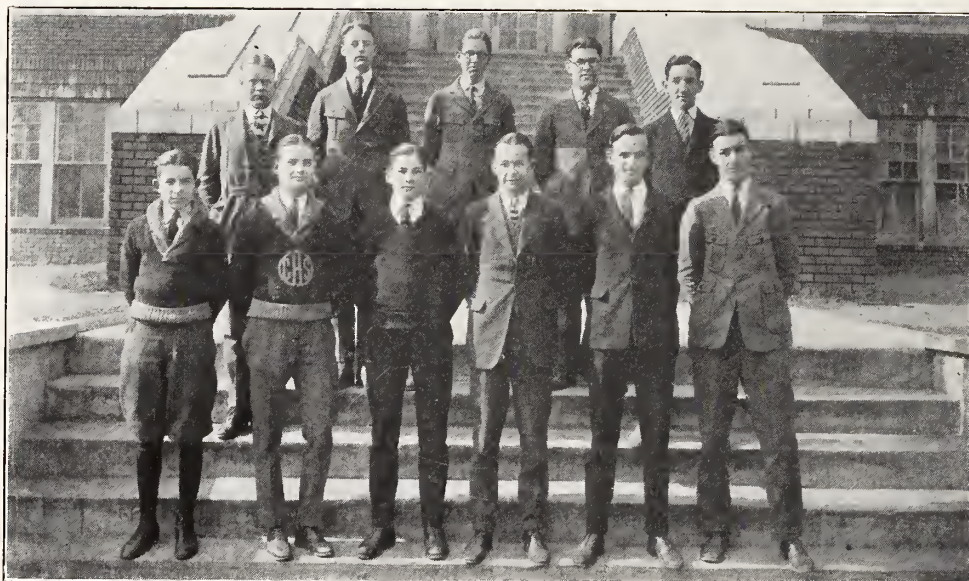
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		EDWARD WILSON

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HAROLD BUCK	OLIN NESBIT	BROOKE TODD
ALLAN CHRISMAN	GEORGE PRESSLY	OLIN WEARN

MR. W. H. BOBBITT.....Leader



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GEORGE GRAHAM
THOMAS GRIBBLE
ROBERT HARPER

GEORGE LOCKHART
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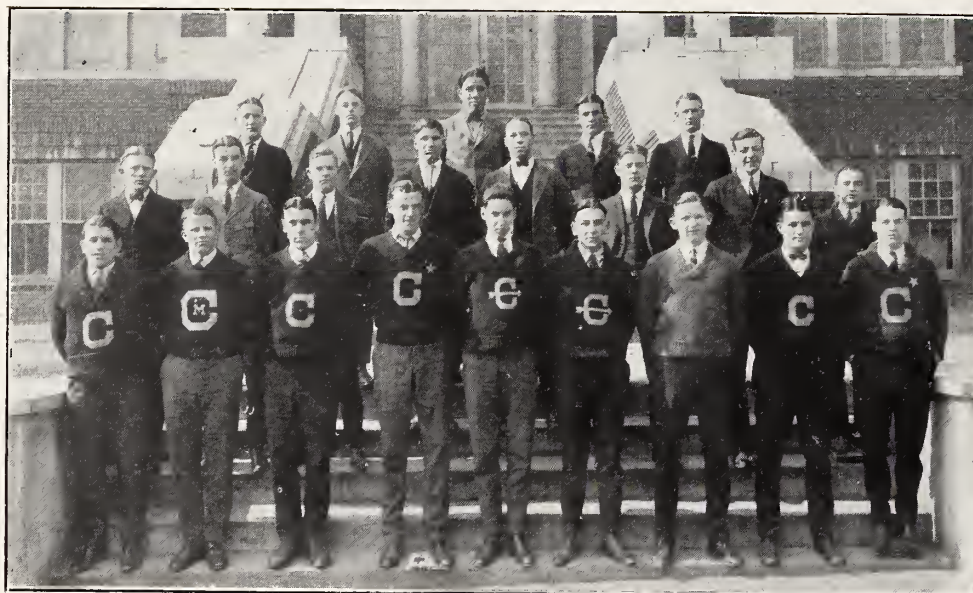


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WILBUR McPHAUL

THOMAS KIRKPATRICK
JINKS HUTCHISON



BOYS' LETTER CLUB



GIRLS' LETTER CLUB



THE STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council, an organization made up of representatives from the four classes, the annual staff, the *Rambler* staff, the girl's club and Hi-Y clubs, was begun during February. The purpose, or the work of this group, is to make our school better in every way. It is divided into four committees; the citizenship, the recreation, the health, and the scholarship. The council was formed not to be ornamental, but to be extremely essential. It has elected but one officer, the president, Lillian Johnson, who with the co-operation of the school, including both the students and the faculty, has tried to make it the organization which it should be. It not only attempts to find the bad things and correct them but it also wishes to lend all of its backing to anything worth while. The members, according to committees, are:

Recreation:

STAFFORD WEARN, Chairman
JEAN CROWELL
MILDRED GREENLEAF
HARRY PEELER
THOMAS ADAMS

Health:

CLYDE SHUFORD, Chairman
BELLE WARD STOWE
WILLARD KEERANS
PAULINE GARRISON

Scholarship:

ALLAN CHRISMAN, Chairman
RALPH BULLARD
ROBERT HOVIS
RUBY MILLER
CHARLES HEBERT

Citizenship:

ETHEL VAUGHAN, Chairman
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LEE SHORT
ANNIE LEE MANN

CHARLOTTE HIGH SCHOOL PUBLICATIONS

The Rambler and the *Annual* are published by the students of the Alexander Graham High School. *The Rambler* is the weekly school paper; the *Annual*, as its name implies, is the the school year book. These publications prove both an enjoyment and a benefit to the individual student and the student body. They are alike in their purpose of stimulating the school spirit and creating a stronger interest in all school activities; however, they are different in the part they play in the school life.

The Rambler is a medium of exchange of ideas and opinions, a means of developing literary talent, and a bearer of the school news and activities of all school organizations.

It is a very enlightening and interesting paper, because of its varied and its well-written contents. In it are found club, social and athletic news, and in fact, all news that is interesting to the student. The "Poet's Corner" and "Just Rambling" are clever and amusing, always affording much fun to the reader. The editorials and essays not only show the talent of those who write, but offer helpful suggestions, and encourage those who read them to do better work. Such a paper fills everyone with school pride and loyalty.

It is through the circulation of this paper that the community and other schools find out what we are doing and get their impressions of our school, just as we are brought in touch with them through exchanges and receive suggestions and help from their publications. It must be remembered that, although the paper is published by the student body, the heaviest responsibility falls upon the staff, the editors, assistant editors and business managers. They generously give their time and best efforts to make *The Rambler* a success.

All eagerly await each issue and read with the greatest delight its contents and there is no doubt that all of us have secretly admired the work of the staff, but we now express our hearty appreciation to those to whom, by their constant and steadfast work, we owe our paper.

The *Annual* consists chiefly of the personnels of the faculty and classes, and of a review of the activities of the school and its organizations for the past year. Everyone in the school has a place in the *Annual* and therefore everyone should be interested in its publication. The graduating class probably has the greatest interest in it, since it contains the annals of their most important school days. Not only to them is given the greater space and an important place in the book, but also the responsibility of publishing it. The most capable and talented persons fill the four offices of editor, assistant editor, art editor and business manager. They have in their hands the task of publishing it, and it is largely due to their work that the *Annual* proves an attractive memento for each Senior to keep. What does this memento mean to each and every one? In it are found the history of our school work and school play. The frolic and fun of some of our gayest and happiest school days, and last, but not least, the faces of school chums and class mates, friends and teachers, are left with us as a permanent heritage.

—ELIZABETH CRIGLER.

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THE RAMBLER

The purpose of *The Rambler* has been to present, impartially, school news; to give the student body the opportunity of expressing its opinion as regards school problems; and to boost all things which would lead to a better Charlotte High School.

Our paper seems to have been quite a success. Financially, the paper has been a money maker, which fact is due to the commendable work of the advertising managers. The staff hopes that next year's paper will have all success and if its staff ever needs any advice that through experience the 1923 staff can give, they will be only too glad to lend a helping hand in making next year's paper the very best that Charlotte High has ever edited.

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CHARLOTTE HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL

The annual this year is published under a new name, *The Mecklenburger*, a name that is distinctive and closely associated with Charlotte. It is fitting that the Charlotte High School have an annual published under the name of the county in which it is located, for in after years the memories of the graduates who leave this section will be recalled to the spots so dear to their youths, by the mention of the name of their annual.

The staff has been working under difficulties of short time and lack of room for their work; nevertheless, the following people hope that they have done their work in an acceptable manner.

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CHARLOTTE HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL

On Saturday evening, October 29, at the home of Miss Narietta Cheatham, Charlotte High School gave a reception for the Winston-Salem football team, which they had defeated that afternoon. The evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present. Ice cream was served thruout the evening.

One of the most enjoyable entertainments of the year was the "Darktown Minstrel," presented in the high school auditorium on Saturday evening, November 11, and Monday evening, November 13, for the purpose of defraying a debt on last year's annual. The program was divided into two parts, with selections by a chorus of Girl's Club members during the intermission. The program was so thoroughly enjoyed by those at the first performance that it was decided to repeat the show. Much of the success of the entertainment was due to Willard Keerans, Miss Bertha, Mr. Penny and Thomas Craig. We were indebted to Mr. Claude Lee for the scenery.

The Music Clubs of the University of North Carolina gave an excellent concert in the high school auditorium, November 24, under the auspices of the Charlotte High School Athletic Association. The club is composed of the Glee Club, Orchestra, and Mandolin Club. The Music Clubs have long been known for their excellence and their performance here was especially entertaining. One of the best numbers on the program was the musical skit, "The Flapper's Opera."

On December 9, at the Chamber of Commerce, Mr. C. O. Kuester entertained the football team at a delightful banquet. During the evening, speeches were made by Dr. Graham, Mr. Penny, Coach Kirkpatrick, Mr. Paul, and several members of the team. Vernon Ausbarn, captain-elect, was presented with a head-gear for making the best speech. A number of high school girls, dressed in grey caps and aprons, served.

Under the auspices of the Girls' High School Club a most entertaining Stunt Night was held in the high school auditorium, Saturday evening, December 16. The purpose of the show was to raise funds for the Girls' Club budget. Quite a number of clever and amusing stunts were carried out. A prize of ten dollars was presented to the Senior Girls for staging the best act, which they in turn presented to the Girl's Club. Their stunt was a dancing class conducted by Miss Jean Crowell. The leading parts were ably acted by Misses Alice Gibbon and Mary Elizabeth Doggett. The Stunt Nights which are given by the students each year are always very original and amusing.

One of the most delightful occasions of the Christmas Holidays was the Banquet given by the Girls' Club, at the Young Womens Christian Association

in honor of the Hi-Y Clubs. About forty couples were present. Jean Crowell acted as Santa Claus and presented each boy with a gift from the beautifully decorated Christmas tree. Some received quite appropriate gifts, such as rattlers, milk bottles, rubber dolls, and pop guns. The evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present.

The Girls' Basket Ball Team gave a charming reception for the Winston Girls' Team at the home of Miss Sarah Jamison in Myers Park, Friday evening, February 9. The Charlotte Girls had defeated the visitors in an exciting game that evening. Quite a number of boys and girls called during the evening to meet the Winston Girls, who are always popular in Charlotte. Dancing was enjoyed thruout the evening. Delightful refreshments, ice cream and cake were served.

On Thursday afternoon, February 22, the Girl's Club gave a George Washington Farty at the Y. W. C. A. Quite a number of girls were present and spent the afternoon in lively contests. Upon arriving, each girl was given a slip of paper bearing the name of George or Martha Washington, a newspaper and a paper of pins, and told to make herself a costume appropriate for the name on the slip of paper. Miss Lillian Johnson won the prize for the best costume. A number of other contests were enjoyed during the afternoon. Delightful refreshments, a salad course and accessories, were served by the social committee.

The "Fun Review," the Senior play, given in the Alexander Graham High School Auditorium, March 16, was a great success. The program was divided into five parts, all of which were cleverly acted and thoroughly amusing. Part III, "Rhythm a la mode," was especially good, the features of it being the singing of Miss Mildred Cave and Ed. Wilson. Miss Cave had a soprano voice of marked sweetness and Mr. Wilson possessed an excellent tenor. Part V, "The Bootlegger's Bride", was good also. The benefits of the performance went to the Annual and the Athletic Association.

The time has come for the Annual to go to press and the spring activities have scarcely begun. Many banquets, luncheons and other entertainments for the Seniors will be given later in the Spring. Thus they will carry away with them many happy thoughts of the last year spent in Charlotte High School.

WIT AND HUMOR

"Don't cry, little boy, you'll get your reward in the end."

"S'pose so. That's where I allus do git it."

"So your name is Johnny Thompson," the teacher said, to make sure of the fact, "but your mother's names is Jones."

"Yes ma'am," Johnny said. "You see she married again and I didn't."

"Waiter, I came in yesterday for a steak."
"Yes, sir. Will you have the same today?"

"Why, I might as well if no one else is using it."

Wanta go to ride in my little red wagon?
Uhuh!

Woah! Get in! Get up! - - - Love I hun?

Speck I do.

Kiss I one!

Huhuh! Make I sick.

Woah! Get out! Get up!

BROKEN DATE BLUES

I ain't nobody's sweetie, ain't nobody's crush,
Nobody calls me honey, nobody gives me a rush;

Nobody sends me hot stuff, nobody shoots me a line;

I ain't got no high-particular-nobody I can call mine;

I'm going off on a trip, going to take my last ride—

I'm going out to the lake and do a stunt called suicide.

Oh Death! Where is Thy Sting?

It was one of those heavenly nights in June!
The moon played hide-and-seek with the clouds.

He had reasons—he didn't want to be the one to tell the tale.

For forty minutes Archie had been pouring out his tale of love.

At last he came to the finish of the story. In conclusion he whispered fervently,

"Natalie, I could die for you!"

"I could die for you, too, Archie.

You bore me to death."

Mr. Kirkpatrick—"You should have seen the cold shower I took this morning."

Can you imagine a thing less fair

Than to surprise, in his secret lair,

To watch him, poor creature, far from rare—

The bald-headed man, a-combin' his hair?

A SAFETY RAZOR. HERE! HERE!

"A man on third, two down," he said,

"We'll have to work the squeeze."

"But Billy, dear, don't do it here—
It's too public—please."

A FORD

"There's an awful rumbling in my stomach like a cart going over a cobblestone street."

Mr. Penny. "It's probably that truck you ate for dinner."

Miss Downs: "Class, what do I mean when I say trace growth and influence of prose and poetry?"

Voice in back: "Mid-term exam."

IS THIS INNOCENCE?

Soph: "And is your sweetie fast?"

Fresh: "Well, I should say, he won the hundred yard dash."

INFORMATION WANTED

Where can a girl buy a cap for her knee,

Or a key for a lock of her hair?

Can her eyes be called an academy

Because there are pupils there?

In the crown of her head, what gems are found?

Who travels the bridge of her nose?

Can she use when shingling the roof of her mouth;

The nails in the end of her toes?

Can the crook of her elbow be sent to jail?

And if so, what did she do?

How does she sharpen the shoulder blades,

I'll be hanged if I know, do you?

Many a small boy is kept in after school because his father worked his arithmetic wrong—Verily the sins of the fathers are visited upon the children.

Mule (looking at a zebra for first time):

"There's a mule that has been in jail."

WIT AND HUMOR

Miss Fore: "There are eight chapters in the appendix, which I wish you to read."
 "Aw, let's cut out the appendix!"

If S and I and O and U
 With an X at the end spells sue,
 And an E and a Y and an E spells I,
 And S and I and G with H-E-D spells Side
 Then what in the world is a speller to do
 Unless it commits sioux-eye-sighed.

Mr. Penny: "The doctor told me that if I didn't stop smoking I would be half-witted."

Mr. Kirkpatrick: "Why didn't you stop?"

The boy stood on the burning deck,
 His feet were full of blisters.
 The flames crept up and burnt his pants
 And now he has to wear his sister's.

Mr. Garth: "We breathe oxygen in the day-time—Now can anyone tell what we breathe at night?"
 "Nitrogen."

INFORMATION SLIP

(To be filled out by Freshmen upon entrance.)

Why do you want to come to school?
 How many sweethearts have you?
 How much more do you know than your teacher?
 How many teeth have you now?
 How big is a dog?
 How much do you owe?
 Do you admire your name?
 Do you think you look like Rodolph?
 How long is a rope?
 How old is Ann?
 What's the use?
 Name.
 Weight at birth.
 Date.

CAN YOU IMAGINE?

Brook Todd not making an announcement.
 Ruth Mayes minus Ruth Matthews.
 Miss Fore never mentioning her "trip"?
 Mr. Penny laughing out loud?
 Mr. Kirkpatrick telling a girl she has pretty eyes?
 Alice Gibbon without her red coat?
 Sarah Hackney not saying a word?
 Bill Wiley and Bill Jones not giggling?
 Le Grand not seeking Lemma?
 Elizabeth and Wayne not making eyes at Fred and Vernon?
 Ed Wilson answering a question?
 Fred Russell not in a hurry?

Charles Hebert idle?

There are no sleeping cars on the road to success.

Two health enthusiasts were discussing methods, when suddenly one of them said: "You still take your morning bath, I suppose?"

"Never miss it, my boy!" cried the other.
 "Sometimes I take it hot; sometimes cold, and when I'm in a rush I take it for granted."

She—"I wonder what Sir Walter Raleigh said to the Queen when he put his coat down for her?"

He—"Probably, 'Step on it, Kid.'"

A fond father discovered his young hopeful reading a dime novel.

"Unhand me, villain," the detected boy cried, "or there will be bloodshed."

"No," said the father grimly, tightening the hold on the boy's collar, "not bloodshed, woodshed."

A newlywed tells us he expected to be master of his house, but finds he is only paymaster.

Ten little motorists driving down the line,
 One hit a trolley car—then there were nine.
 Nine little motorists monkeying with Fate,
 One bumped a motor truck then there were eight.

Eight little motorists trusting much in Heaven,

One tried to hug the road—then there were seven.

Seven little motorists trying clever tricks,
 One met a railroad train then there were six.

Six little motorists thought they could drive,
 One skidded off a bridge—then there were five.

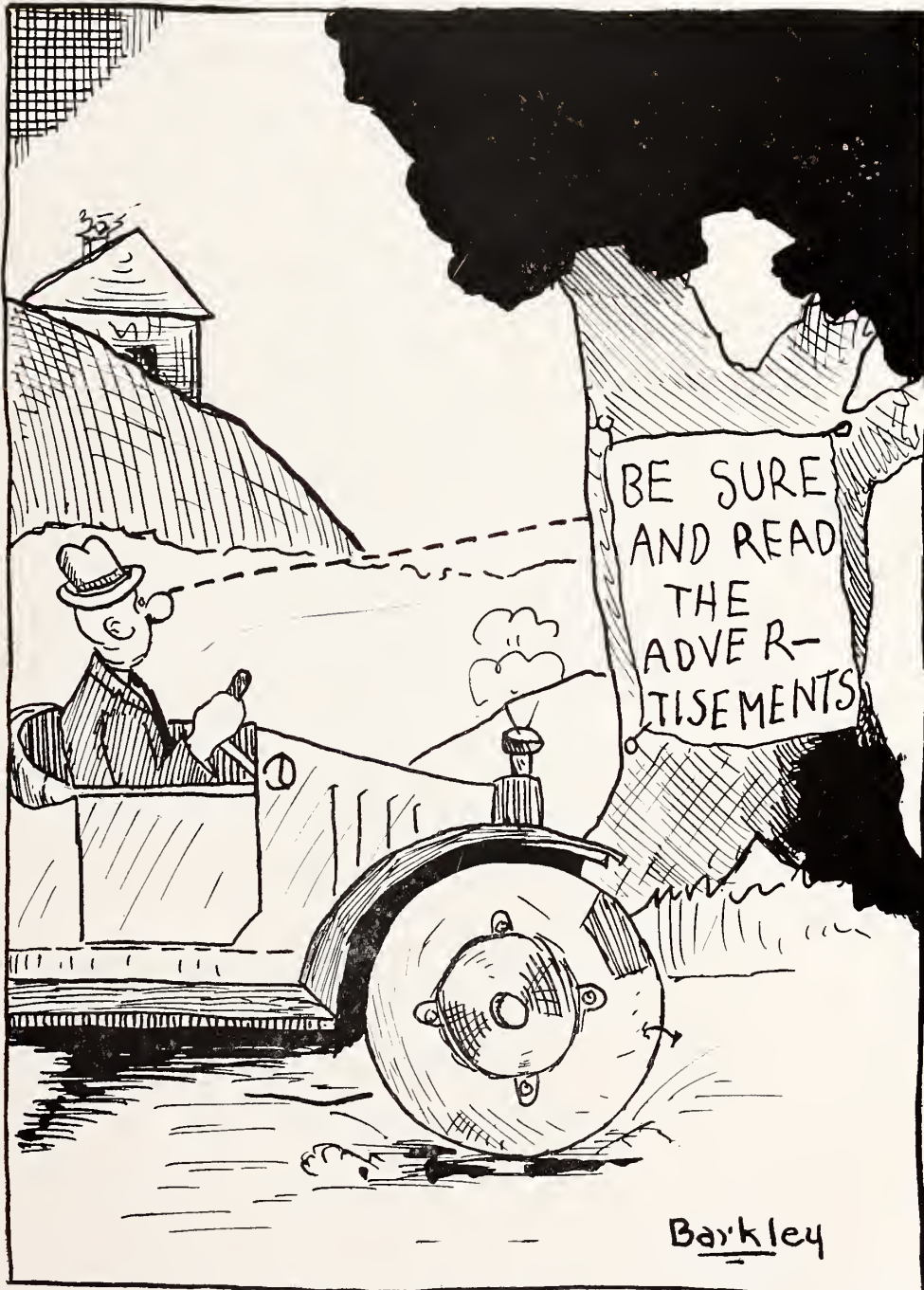
Five little motorists speeding more and more,
 One struck a thank-you-ma'am—then there were four.

Four little motorists driving recklessly,
 One sassed a traffic cop—then there were three.

Three little motorists heaving into view,
 One passed upon a curve—then there were two.

Two little motorists out to make a run,
 One hit a granite wall—then there was one.

One little motorist packing quite a bun,
 He's in a prison cell—so there was none!
 Here is a history it is well to heed,
 It is a moral, he who drives may read.



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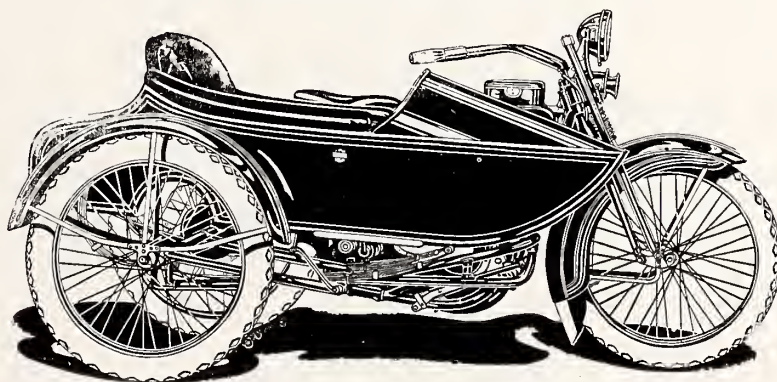
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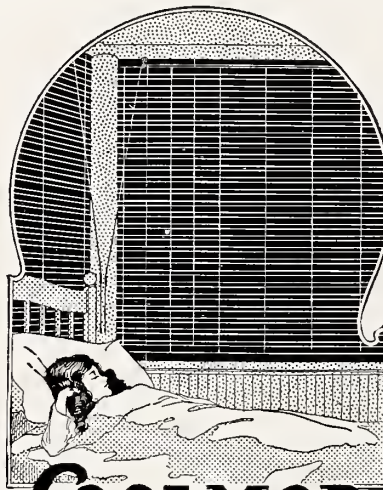
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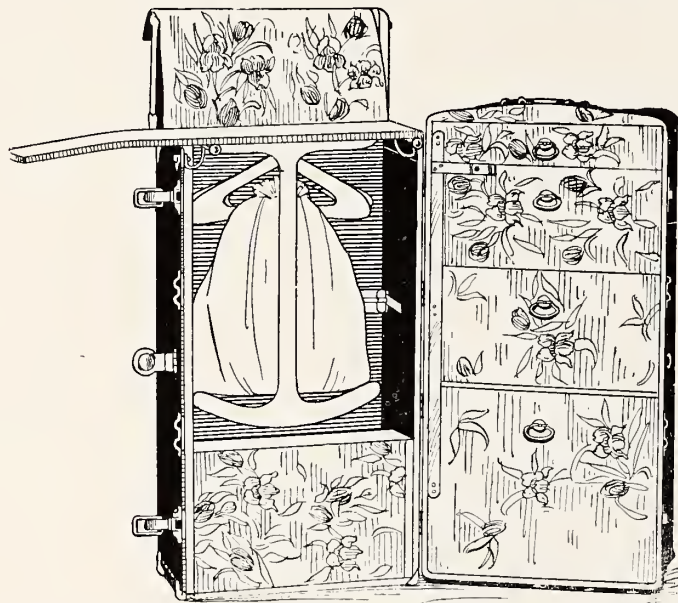
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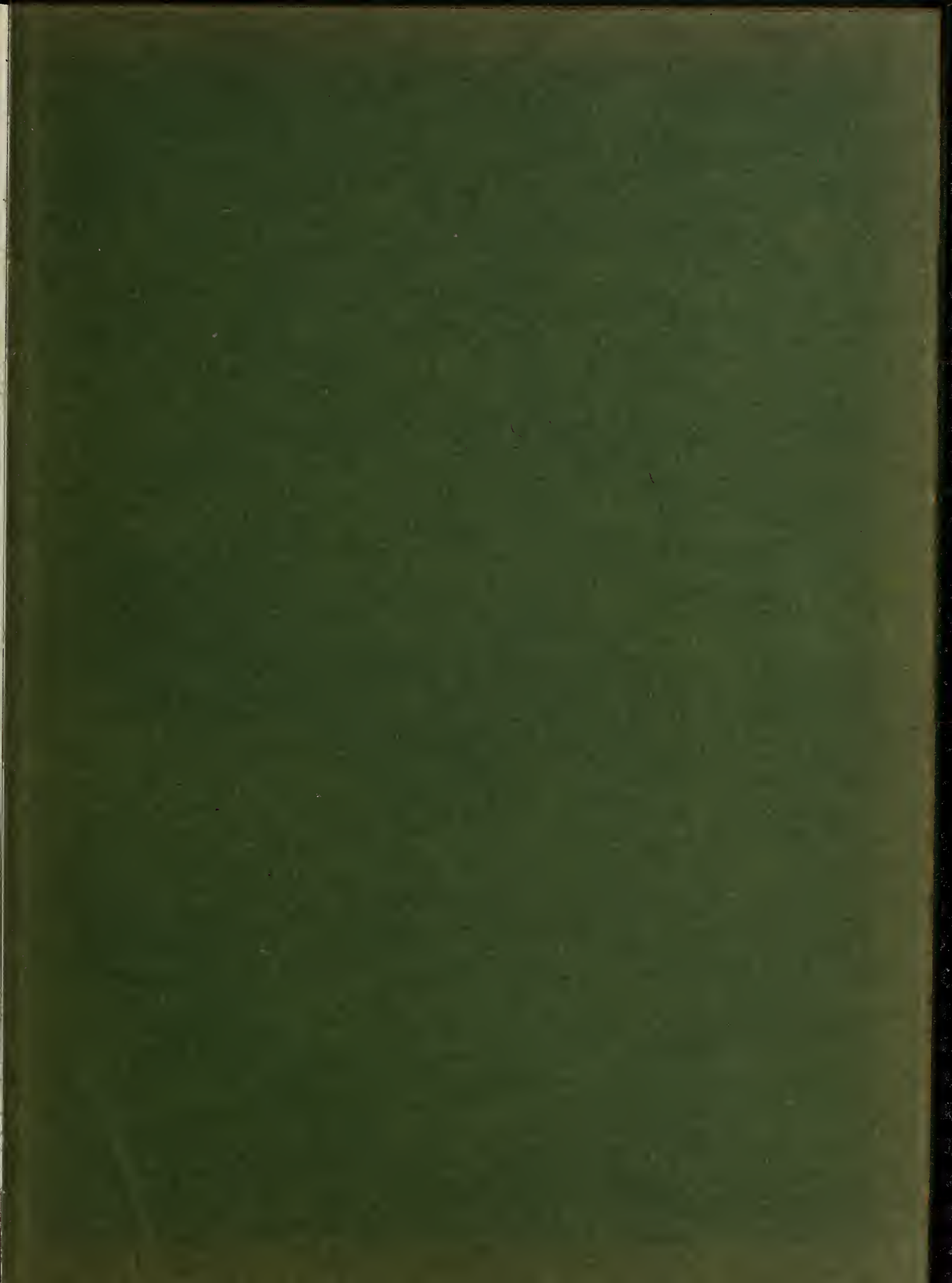
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